

Rayburn Says GOP Tax Plan Special Benefit To Wealthy

Would Cut Dividend Tax Relief

By Charles F. Barrett
Washington (AP) — House Democratic leader Sam Rayburn of Texas told the nation last night President Eisenhower's tax program would give six times as much relief to upper income brackets as to the great bulk of taxpayers.

Rayburn, in a statement prepared for radio and television broadcast, assailed the Republican program as a revival of the philosophy that special benefits for the wealthy "may eventually trickle down to the great majority."

But in actual practice, he said, little or nothing ever trickles down.

Rayburn said that is why House Democrats are fighting to amend the GOP-sponsored tax revision program to increase individual income tax exemptions for each taxpayer and each dependent by \$100. In the Senate, Sen. George (D-Cal.) is proposing a \$200 increase this year and \$400 next.

Rayburn urged the \$100 boost "so that you and every taxpayer in this country will get real tax relief."

He and two other Democratic Congress members took to the air to answer an address by President Eisenhower last night, denouncing the Democratic tax-cutting plan as unsound and politically inspired.

Eisenhower contends this is as far as the government should go at the present time. He says the bill would benefit millions of individuals and encourage "the growth and expansion of industry, the creation of jobs."

Rayburn spoke on the eve of House debate today on the critical election-year tax issue.

He was joined by Sen. George, senior Democrat on the Senate Finance Committee, and Rep. Cooper (D-Tenn.), ranking Democrat on the House Ways and Means Committee.

A few hours earlier, House Speaker Martin (R-Mass.) said after a two and a half hour closed door caucus of Republican House members he was confident the Democratic drive for an exemption increase would be beaten "by a very comfortable margin."

The House is scheduled to vote Thursday.

Cooper said throughout the Republican tax revision program, "The wage earner appears to be the forgotten man."

Rayburn explained the Democratic amendment not only would propose an exemption increase but would knock out of the giant, \$75-page revision bill a proposal reducing taxes on dividends to stockholders.

He said the dividend proposal "follows the Republican party's policy of favoring the few." He estimated the loss in revenue from this proposal alone would amount to \$14 million dollars. But only eight per cent of American families own stock, he said. And six-tenths of one per cent of American families own 80 per cent of all stock and thus would get 80 per cent of the tax benefits, Rayburn added.

"Just imagine," Rayburn declared, "giving \$14 million dollars in tax relief to six families out of every thousand in the country, while all other families put together would not get anything like this amount."

The veteran Democratic leader said it was President Eisenhower — not Democrats — who recommended a three billion dollar deficit for the fiscal year beginning next July 1. And he said it was the Republicans who decided on a program of tax reduction despite this deficit.

"The question now," he said, "is what kind of tax reduction? And who should benefit?"

Rayburn said 80 per cent of the people earn less than \$5,000 a year. Addressing himself especially to those 80 per cent, he said:

"Under the Republican plan for next year, the upper 20 per cent—those who earn more than \$5,000 a year—will get three times as much tax relief as you will get. "If this program remains in effect until 1960, the top 20 per cent of taxpayers will get six times as much tax relief as the lower 80 per cent of the taxpayers. "I ask you—is that fair?"

"And this is what the Republicans call a 'balanced' tax program."

"The truth of the matter is that if you are one of those millions of Americans who earn less than \$5,000 a year, the Republican tax program offers you little or no relief at all."

Top Secrets Safe

Washington (AP)—Rep. Cole (R-NY) said yesterday no "top secret" documents are missing or unaccounted for at the Hanford atomic energy plant in Washington state, but some documents having a lower classification are unaccounted for.

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Radford Says Cut In Army Manpower Will Not Harm Defense Of United States

By Lee Garrett

Washington (AP)—Adm. Arthur W. Radford said yesterday a cut in the size of the Army is to be offset by a more active reserve program and an increase in the ground forces of our allies, partly through U. S. aid.

The chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff explained the plan to questioning members of a Senate Appropriations subcommittee in hearings on a money bill to finance the Defense Department's "new look" planning. That program involves cuts in Army and Navy manpower and a bigger Air Force. Radford used the occasion also to assert that:

1. "It is not correct to say we are relying exclusively on one weapon, or one service, or that we are anticipating one kind of war." It is wrong to think, he said, that "ability to deliver massive atomic retaliation is, by itself, adequate to meet our security needs."

2. The size of the proposed forces was not based on any budgetary limitation imposed on the joint chiefs, but its members believed that the U. S. economic situation "is a great factor over the long pull."

3. The "new look" which followed the end of Korean fighting is less a radical change than a re-appraisal of military methods and "would have been done no matter what administration was in power."

McCarthy To Step Down As Chairman While Committee Checks On Row With Army

Washington (AP)—The Senate subcommittee headed by Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.) voted yesterday to conduct its own investigation of the angry row between McCarthy and Army officials—and to do it in public with the embattled chairman out of the driver's seat.

This was just about what McCarthy wanted and he described himself as "perfectly satisfied." His Army antagonists couldn't be reached for comment but associates said they'd be certain to appear at the hearings.

The sessions probably will be televised.

Yesterday's action came at a showdown session of McCarthy's Permanent Investigations subcommittee. That's the group McCarthy wanted to handle the probe. Democratic members contended its parent body, the Government Operations Committee, should do it. Sen. Mundt (R-SD) insisted to the last some committee remote from the fray should get the job.

McCarthy won his point, though, and then all seven members agreed on other ground rules for the inquiry into the bitter controversy between McCarthy and the subcommittee's counsel, Roy Cohn, on the one hand and Army Secretary Stevens and Army counsel John G. Adams on the other.

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Senate Action On Treaties Gave Right

Washington (AP)—Secretary of State Dulles said yesterday President Eisenhower has authority to order instant retaliation against any aggressor attacking the United States or any one of 33 Allied countries.

He told his news conference the President was given this right by Senate action in approving the 14-nation North Atlantic Pact and the 21-nation Inter-American Defense Treaty.

Dulles said at one point the President will observe all constitutional processes in meeting any emergency. At another, he said that whether the President would order instant retaliation would depend on the seriousness of the attack, on whether it meant all-out war, and on other factors.

Eisenhower himself, asked at a news conference last week about possible involvement in Indochina, said "there is going to be no involvement of America in war unless it is a result of the constitutional process that is placed upon Congress to declare it. Now, let us have that clear."

Dulles, who first outlined the nation's "new look" in defense as depending largely on "a great capacity to retaliate, instantly, by means and at places of our own choosing," said the President's power was discretionary, but nonetheless real, by virtue of the treaty provisions.

His comments drew mixed reaction on Capitol Hill.

Sen. Gore (D-Tenn.) said that "again the President and a member of his Cabinet have taken open opposition positions." He said a bipartisan policy and unity among this country's Allies "will not be possible until there is unity within the administration."

French Blast Red Rebels Near Fort

Hanoi, Indochina (AP)—French firepower stopped screaming Vietnamese attackers within a half mile of the heart of Dien Bien Phu yesterday.

The Communist-led rebels, suffering casualties estimated unofficially up to 8,000 in four days of battle, picked up their dead and withdrew to the hills to regroup.

French troops hurled back furious assaults by the rebels, who fired rifles, pistols, machine guns and threw grenades and even spears in an attempt to knock out the French command post in the center of the beleaguered key fortress in northwest Indochina.

But sheets of heavy fire from American-supplied guns tore wide gaps in the ranks of the Vietnamese. As nightfall approached they temporarily broke off frontal assault and retreated to the hills under a dashing rain.

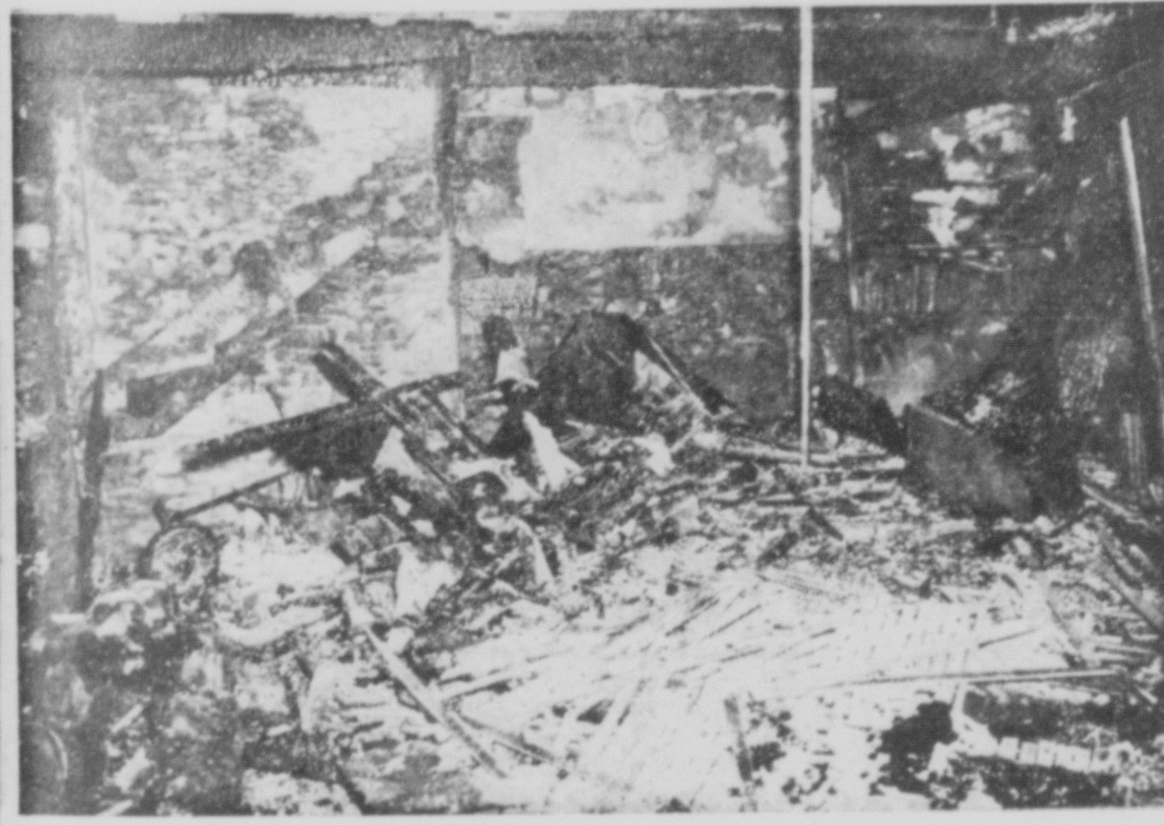
Bodies were strewn over the rain-soaked plain of Dien Bien Phu where the Vietnamese had chosen to make its biggest effort of the Indochina War, now in its eighth year.

Japan May Ask Compensation For Big Blast

Tokyo, Wednesday (AP)—Japan talked today of asking U. S. compensation for 23 Japanese fishermen showered by blistering, radioactive ashes from an atomic or hydrogen blast in the Pacific March 1.

At the same time, health inspectors went on a frantic hunt for about 1,000 pounds of tuna, believed radioactive, caught by the fishermen and already on the markets in Tokyo, Osaka, Nagoya and elsewhere.

Schine Rejected
Sacramento, Calif. (AP)—G. David Schine, former investigator for Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.), was turned down for Army duty because of physical unfitness nearly three years ago, State Selective Service Director Kenneth H. Leitch said yesterday.



COMPLETELY GUTTED is this living room in the home of Willie P. Otto, Tannersville, heaviest hit in the \$25,000 fire which destroyed the home yesterday morning. Story on Page 3. (Daily Record Photo)

Police Nab Hit-And-Run Operator

A Stroudsburg man last night admitted he failed to stop after his car injured a pedestrian in East Stroudsburg, police said.

The motorist was Archie VanWhy, 24, who said he lived at 511 1/2 N. Fifth St. He pleaded guilty to a charge of failing to stop at the scene of an accident and aid the injured.

The injured man is Brantley Whittaker, 62, East Stroudsburg RD2, who suffered a possible dislocation of the arm and shoulder; bruised; shock; and a jagged cut in the back of his head which required 15 stitches to close, police said.

The arrest of VanWhy came just 45 minutes after the accident, thanks to swift work by witnesses and East Stroudsburg police.

Officers Donald Quick and Ed Harlow said Whittaker was crossing N. Courtland St. at about the King St. intersection, from east to west, about 8:05 p.m. when he was struck.

Also questioned at the police station was Ralph Slack, Anasomink, a passenger in the car. Slack was later released. No charge was filed against him.

The \$1,000 bond was put up by Samuel VanWhy, Stroudsburg RD 1, police said.

Mother Beats Child To Death

Spring City, Pa. (AP)—Police Chief John Hanbury said a young mother beat her 9-month-old daughter to death yesterday because she was "mad at it" and then called a taxi to give herself up to police.

Hanbury said he was on traffic duty here when he was approached by Mrs. Phyllis Seeley, 21, of Yeager's Trailer Camp, Spring City RD1, seven miles southwest of Pottstown.

Babs Is Bitter

Palm Beach, Fla. (AP)—With a touch of bitterness in her voice, Woolworth heiress Barbara Hutten rode toward New York last night leaving her ex-prince charming alone in his Palm Beach honeymoon villa.

Lenten Meditation LENT or BORROWED

The word Lent may mean to many simply the opposite of borrowed. It is a Teutonic word which means Spring. Now, of course, we know Lent means the forty days of fast and intensified prayer which coincides with the Spring of the year. This coincidence is not merely accidental. The Church arranged the year of worship in this way because there are activities distinct to the Spring of the year which are similar to those which

should occupy our souls during Lent. In the Spring of the year the farmer ploughs, plants and fertilizes the soil. In Lent the soul must be ploughed, the seed must be planted, fertilized and moistened.

Christ Himself is the Farmer. Our souls are the soil. The seed is even more than His teachings. The moisture is the rain of His grace. The ploughing is the rooting out of our vices.

—By Pecono Catholic Missions

\$250,000 Verdict Is Won By Local Antique Dealer

(Special to The Daily Record)

Chicago, Ill.—John H. Chamberlain, a Delaware Water Gap, Pa., antique dealer, won his \$250,000 libel suit against a Chicago publishing firm last night.

Chamberlain's suit charged that the Leightner Publishing Corp., Chicago, publishers of a hobby magazine, had libeled him and damaged his business reputation.

The suit was filed four years ago after the publishing company had released a magazine story stating that the antique dealer had sold furniture to buyers at antique shows which he had represented to be antiques but which, the magazine said, were reproductions instead.

Chamberlain filed his suit almost immediately following publication of the magazine.

The case was filed in the Cook County, Illinois, court.

Jury verdict on the matter was returned last night at 9:30 EST. Chamberlain had filed suit for \$250,000. The jury awarded the full amount.

Charles Bensinger, working with the Chicago law firm of Sherwin and Sherwin, represented Mr. Chamberlain in his successful suit.

The publishing company has not, as yet, announced an intention to appeal the verdict.

Chavez Seat Before Senate

Washington (AP)—The Senate Rules Committee voted yesterday, on strict party lines, to have the full Senate decide whether Sen. Chavez (D-NM) should be unseated on the ground that "flagrant" irregularities marked the 1952 New Mexico election.

The five committee Republicans voted for and the four Democrats voted against adoption of a subcommittee report recommending that the senatorial election be declared void.

Sen. Knowland (R-Calif.), the GOP leader, announced the Senate will begin debate next Monday on the question, which could mean a change in control of the Senate if the Democrat Chavez, a 65-year-old veteran on Capitol Hill, is ousted. Knowland said he hoped a vote could be reached by Tuesday afternoon.

Weapon Can Be Dropped Anywhere

Washington (AP)—Rep. W. Sterling Cole (R-NY), chairman of the Senate-House Atomic Energy Committee, said last night the United States has the hydrogen bomb and can deliver it anywhere in the world.

This was the first official confirmation that this country possesses a deliverable hydrogen bomb. Previous statements have referred only to a "hydrogen device."

Cole made the statement during a television program, "Dateline Washington," which was filmed in Washington for station WISN-TV, New Orleans. He was interviewed by Democratic Reps. Hebert and Boggs of Louisiana.

It is a "fair assumption," Cole said, that Russia also has a hydrogen bomb. He said:

"We have information to indicate that Russia has the capacity to have a hydrogen bomb."

Answering a question by Hebert, Cole said: "We do have the hydrogen bomb."

Hebert then asked: "Do you have a deliverable hydrogen bomb to any place in the world?"

"Yes," Cole replied, "if we have bases close enough to the target."

Then he added that "we have planes that can carry any weapon we have to any part of the world" from overseas bases. He said there are no American planes capable of carrying weapons nonstop around the world.

American military officials have said their present global network of advanced airbases would permit modern aircraft to hit all main Soviet targets.

Cole intimated that a deliverable hydrogen bomb had been developed by last year and that President Eisenhower hinted at its existence in his Dec. 8 speech to the United Nations.

Cole made these other points:

One: "Already more lives have been saved and more people helped" by the development of atomic energy than those killed by the World War II atomic bombs dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

Two: Within the next 10 years "several" atomic reactors or power plants probably will be operating to produce electricity for commercial use.

Three: By and large, the security program for atomic energy installations is adequate. "I am not aware of any single instance of laxity," he said.

Ninth Appeal From Death Sentence

Pittsburgh (AP)—Cleveland Thompson, convicted of killing a bartender five years ago, began in U. S. District Court yesterday his ninth appeal to escape the electric chair.

Thompson, 32, has appealed unsuccessfully to the State Supreme Court and U. S. Supreme Court eight times.

He was convicted of killing Wallace Russell in a cafe Sept. 13, 1949.

Thompson is basing his current appeal for release on the grounds that the state suppressed evidence.

Smokey Says:

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Bulky Beer Is Problem

London (AP)—The Admiralty acknowledged last night it is facing a "very difficult" problem: How to carry enough beer in a warship to keep the crew supplied.

Beer is being considered as a supplement for the daily rum ration issued to seamen. But beer is bulky.



DAD GETS A CHANCE at teaching the first grade in East Stroudsburg's Laboratory School. Here seven fathers join with school officials in the parent-participation program in the room taught by Mrs. Helen E. Booth, supervisor. The program, one of the few of its kind in the country, started last month with mothers taking over afternoon classes. Next month another group of mothers will become teachers for a half-day session. (Daily Record Photo)

Livengood In Race To Finish

Harrisburg (AP)—William S. Livengood Jr. said yesterday he "definitely" will stay in the race for the Republican nomination as secretary of internal affairs, a post he has held for 16 years.

"I am definitely in to stay and I expect to win," said the candidate for a fifth term in the office.

Livengood was dropped by state party leaders in making up the organization ticket for the May 18 primary.

His statement assured a contest for the post with party-endorsed Mrs. Gaynelle Dixon, Butler.

Livengood said he will explain his position in a television speech after March 22, the final day for candidates to withdraw their petitions.

He said, "A great many of my friends think that my candidacy will add strength to the ticket this fall."

Kresgeville

Evangelistic services will be held in the Middle Creek Evangelical Church from Tuesday, March 16 to Sunday, March 21 with Evangelist Roland Cagle as the guest speaker. Special vocal and piano music will feature nightly at 7:30. Sunday services are at 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Rev. William Moyer is pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Andrews, Billy, Bobby, Nancy and Raylene Andrews called on Albert and Joseph Henning, of Albrightsville, last week.

Mrs. Florence Clares, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Mary Kreger.

March 15, at 7:30 p. m., the PTA held a fashion show under the direction of Mrs. Mackes. There will be a short meeting preceding when a nominating committee will be elected to select officers for the coming year. April 19 the program will be by the second grade children under the direction of Mrs. Shupp. At this meeting new officers will be elected. May 17, at 7:30 p. m., the meeting and covered dish supper will be held and new officers will be installed.

James Burger, of Sampson, N. Y., is spending a six-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Burger Sr.

Mrs. Lizzie Bruch has returned home after spending some time in Palmerton with her daughter, Mrs. Marley Johnson.

Leroy Serfass, of Slatington and Billy Andrews recently called on John Hopple, of Big Creek.

Mrs. Raymond Andrews and children Billy, Bobby, Nancy and Raylene visited Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Craig in Slatington last week.

Kresgeville POS of A met on Tuesday, March 16, P. O. of A. meets Wednesday, March 17, and the auxiliary, sons of Union Veterans meet Friday, March 19 in the local lodge hall.

The following will celebrate birthdays during the week: Barbara Frable, Mrs. Clara Sterner, Ralph Eckley, Patsy Zacharias, Eddie Reese, Charles Feller Jr., Paul Kuehner, Mrs. Paul Moll, Mrs. Monroe Frable, Mrs. Harry T. Young, Mrs. Clyde Buck, Elmer Gregory, Lorraine Berger, Shirley Brotzman, Mrs. Clark Kreimoyer, Charlotte George and Lucy Kibier, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Getz celebrate their seventh wedding anniversary recently.

Right Of Police To Raid Sundays Upheld By Court

Philadelphia (AP)—Pennsylvania police had State Supreme Court authority yesterday to raid suspected gambling establishments on Sunday, as well as any other day.

The decision written by Judge J. Colvin Wright held that a state law of 1705, based on an old English code of 1667, permitted the use of search warrants on Sunday in cases of breach of the peace that are indictable.

Wright's ruling upheld the Dauphin County Quarter Sessions Court which had convicted Eugene A. Magaro on charges of keeping a gaming house and possessing and operating gambling devices.

Magaro was caretaker of Lloyd Post 648, American Legion, which was raided on Sunday, April 27, 1952. Slot machines and other gambling devices seized in the raid were used as evidence to convict Magaro, who was fined \$100. He appealed on these grounds:

1. That a warrant served on Sunday violated the state Constitution since there was no open or visible disturbance of public peace.
2. Evidence obtained during such an alleged illegal search cannot be used.

Wright rejected both arguments.

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Peck's Lake Association Has Banquet

Over 50 persons attended the annual banquet of Peck's Lake Sportsman's Association at the Stroudsburg VFW Home.

Arthur Weaver, association secretary, offered invocation. Ladies Auxiliary had charge of prize awards with Mrs. Clara Reno, president, directing the awards. Winners were:

Mary Bachman and Harry Mader, of Stroudsburg; Paul A. Whelan, of East Stroudsburg; Hank Collins of Bangor; Claude N. Smith of Boyertown; Rose Ernst of Edgemere Club; Mr. and Mrs. Paul McBride of Mount Pocono; Julius Kovac of Easton; Joseph Knolmeyer of Peck's Pond; Harry Leaser of Bethlehem; Bill Meehleib of Dingmans Ferry; Mike Reno and Bill Urban of Philadelphia, and Ruth Henkie of Bloomsburg.

Other awards went to Earl Randal of Pennsylvania; Russell Rinker, M. M. Kunkle, Alice F. Shireman, B. E. Pike, Jack Rice and L. Bloomer.

Music for dancing was provided by Rudy Ainspach and her Four Rhythms. Kate Heller had charge of the floor show.

Bangor High Students Hear CD Address

Bangor — Federal and State Civil Service was the subject of a vocational guidance conference here.

Forty students attended in the high school library.

Albert Weidman, Civil Service board secretary in Easton, was consultant in the Federal service field. He traced the applicable service laws, outlined requirements and described opportunities in the field. He told how to file an application and explained the method of selection and placement.

Mrs. C. Hilton Smith of the Bureau of Employment Security in Easton was consultant in the State service field. She discussed civil service work with State agencies, and mentioned opportunities in this area. Arnold Wynne, high school guidance counselor, served as conference chairman. Next conference will be March 29, on office practices and procedures.

250,000 Miles Safe Driving For Holloway

Floyd C. Holloway, of 317 Colbert Street, local Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania employee, was honored last night at a special safety meeting in the Hotel Casey, Scranton.

Holloway received a special award on the completion of 250,000 miles of driving company vehicles without being responsible for a single accident.

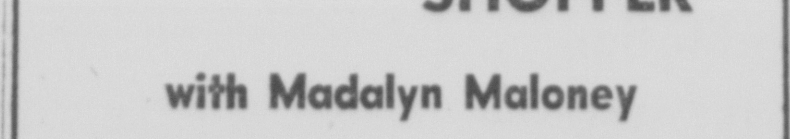
The award was made at a Hundred Thousand Mile Club meeting for men who have driven Bell vehicles that distance safely. Holloway is a veteran member of the group.

I. G. Clifford, division plant superintendent of the company, made the presentation. John L. McKay, general plant manager, spoke at the meeting and Daniel R. Leamy, district plant superintendent, was the chairman.

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Red Assault In Indochina Is Political

By J. M. Roberts Jr.
Associated Press News Analyst

Recent Communist offensives in Indochina, coupled with their first use of frontal assault tactics, lead to speculation that this war is now approaching the same situation which obtained in Korea at the beginning of cease-fire talks there.

At that time the Reds launched violent "banzai" attacks, partly designed to correct their front but probably aimed more directly at political results, such as increasing the desire of the Allies to end the shooting and so lead them into concessions.

Just before the signing of the Korean armistice, when these attacks had been well-contained, the Reds launched an offensive in Indochina toward the capital of Laos.

As the talks at Panmunjom got down to business, the Laos drive was suddenly called off.

The Red drive in Indochina this year began with a drive across the waist of Laos toward Thailand. There was much concern among the Allies until it petered out.

The all-out battle for the French headquarters at Dien Bien Phu in northwest Indochina now appears to be another political effort to win a victory and put the pressure on the French at the forthcoming Geneva negotiations over a cease-fire for Indochina.

The Red objective at Geneva has not yet been revealed. A good many observers think the conference was arranged by the Russians primarily to keep the French off balance and prolong their consideration of the European Defense Community treaty.

Others consider it possible that Red China needs to disengage in order to pay greater attention to home problems, and that there is a good possibility she is willing to drop Ho Chi Minh, Moscow-trained leader of the Indochinese rebels.

Only last week an important Frenchman left Washington to advise leaders in the Paris government regarding American thought on these subjects. He followed by only a few days the American ambassador, who had gone into a series of conferences with Foreign Minister Bidault after a visit to Washington.

Before he left this Frenchman conferred with American newspaper and radio commentators in both Washington and New York, asking, among other things, what American public reaction would be to further delay on EDC, and to diplomatic recognition of the Peking government by France if that proved to be a bargaining factor in stopping Peking aid to Ho.

He seemed to have the impression that EDC could be delayed until after Geneva if that would contribute to a cease-fire.

But he didn't seem to have much hope that the Reds would ever agree to a cease fire on the minimum terms demanded by France.

States of Indochina open to Communist domination through coalition governments or the like. However, there was much in both the military and political atmosphere to suggest that the Communists are now preparing to go into much the same kind of song and dance as they used in Korea.

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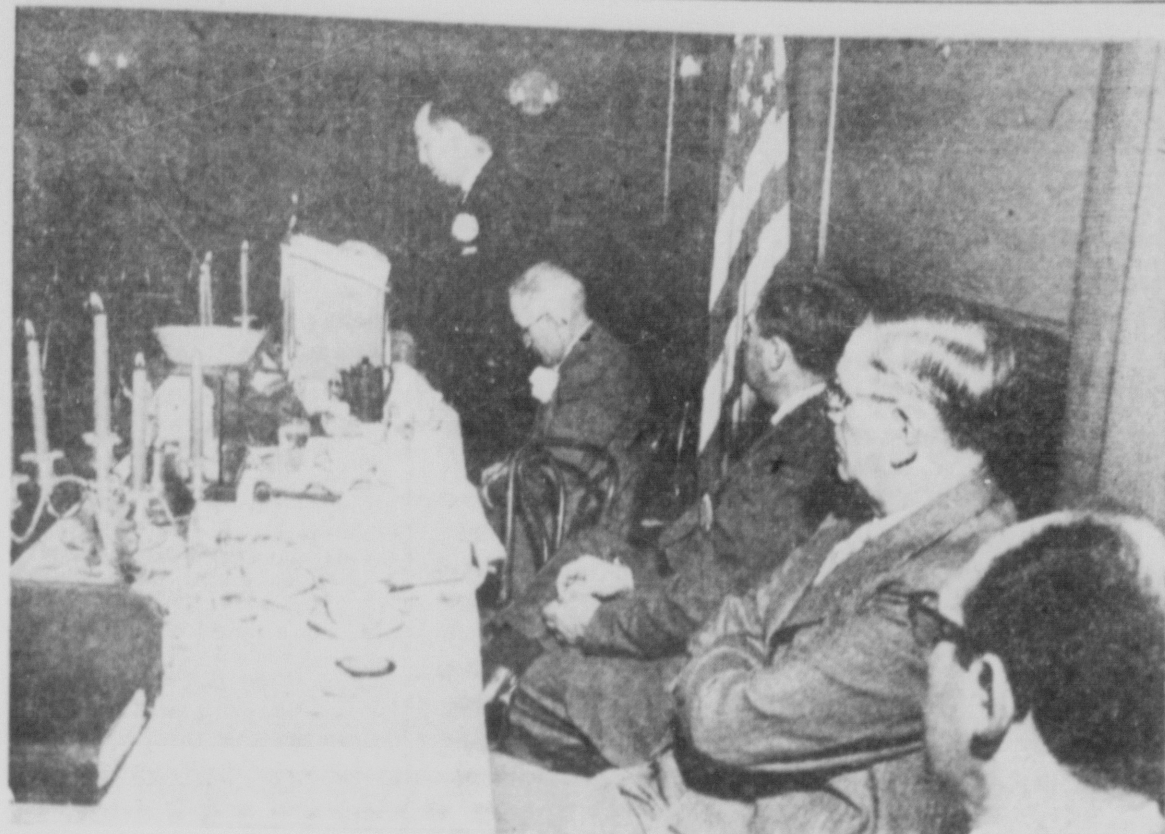
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CULTURAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE IRISH were told to Lions last night at Penn-Stroud by Patrick F. Sheering of Scranton, student of Irish history. Listeners are friend who accompanied speaker from Scranton; Lions president William Hinton; secretary Harold E. Snyder; and treasurer Henry Reader. (Daily Record Photo)

Lions Honor Their Ladies, St. Patrick

Stroudsburg Lions Club doffed its hat last night to St. Patrick and the traditions of the Irish.

Principal speaker was Scranton restaurant owner Patrick F. Sheering. Sheering discussed the historical background of St. Patrick's Day and various modern traditions which have grown from the celebration.

Wives of members of the club were special guests at the reception at Gap View Inn and the dinner held in the Penn-Stroud Hotel ballroom.

Leo Achtermann led group singing. Decorations were appropriate for the annual "holiday." Principal dish at dinner was corned beef and cabbage. William Hinton, club president, was in charge, and William P. Deering, past president, was chairman of the program committee.

Pastors Switch For Service

Rev. Dr. Edward T. Horn Sr., pastor of the Tannersville Lutheran Church, will occupy the pulpit in Grace Lutheran Church, East Stroudsburg, at the 7:30 o'clock Lenten Vesper Service tonight.

Dr. Horn, prior to his pastorate in Tannersville, was professor of Religion at Muhlenberg College in Allentown. He also spent many years in the mission field in Japan.

The Boy Scout Choir will sing the anthem, "Rock of Ages," and the Senior Chancel Choir will sing a Lenten anthem.

Altar flowers will be placed by Mr. and Mrs. James W. Smith in memory of his father, Harry H. Smith, William E. Townsend, James W. Smith, Jesse E. Kulp and Andrew Choy will serve as ushers representing the Crusader's Class of the Church School, Douglas Metzger will serve as acolyte.

Rev. William F. Wunder, Grace Church pastor, will preach in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Tannersville, at 7:30 o'clock tonight in this exchange of pulpits. Miss Jean Gurr of Scotrun will be soprano soloist.

Fred Hill and Layton Lambert will serve as vesper ushers. All members of both parishes are cordially invited to hear the exchange pastors.

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Official To Inspect High Schools

A representative of the State Department of Public Instruction will visit five Monroe county schools this week.

Cortez Fiske, an advisor in the secondary education division of the Harrisburg department, will study applications for additional units in small high schools.

Fiske will be accompanied by either John C. Litts, county superintendent or Walter Sebring, assistant superintendent, on the tour through local secondary schools.

Beginning today, the tour will consist of visits to Tobyhanna, Coolbaugh, Barrett, Pocono and Polk schools.

Time schedule for the visits is the following: Tobyhanna township school, Pocono Pines, this morning; Coolbaugh school, this afternoon; Barrett township school, Cresco, Thursday morning; Pocono township school, Tannersville, Thursday afternoon; Polk township school, Kresgeville, Friday morning.

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Portland Methodist Anniversary

Portland — Plans for an anniversary service Sunday, July 11 at 8 p. m. were formulated here this week by the Official Board of the Methodist Church.

Rev. John Carter, pastor, was in charge and announced a special speaker will be secured for the service. Entertainment also will be provided.

A quarterly conference will be held at 12:30 p. m. April 25. Rev. Carter announced. Dr. Paul Pooley, district superintendent will have charge.

Philadelphia Eggs

Philadelphia (AP) — Eggs: Steady. Receipts 5,361. Wholesale selling prices are as follows: Minimum 19 per cent AA quality large whites 44-45, browns 42-43; medium whites 40-41, browns 40-41; extra minimum 50 per cent. A small's large whites 42-43, mixed colors 41-42; medium whites 40-41.

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Editorials

Debt and Deficit

By continuing the tax on corporation income and some of the major federal sales taxes (on gasoline, autos, tobacco and liquor) at their present rates, the Eisenhower Administration estimates the deficit in the next government budget will be "only" three billion dollars.

But the House already has passed a bill which would add a billion dollars to that deficit by cutting other excise (sales) taxes.

This week the House will vote on a bill revising the income tax law in such a way as to lose the government another \$1.4 billion in revenue.

The Democrats are sponsoring an even more dangerous cut in government income. They propose raising the exemption for income taxpayers from \$600 to \$700. That would raise the deficit another \$2.4 billions.

This Democratic plan is based on the old, shopworn and discredited theory of socking the rich to relieve the poor.

But if the government imposed a tax of 100 per cent on all incomes above \$10,000 it would collect only about two-thirds as much money as it would need just to overcome the deficit which the plans now before Congress will bring on.

Having established an unmatched record for deficit spending in the last 20 years, the Democrats now try to impose the same debt-making practice on a Republican administration. If they succeed, the President will have no choice except to use the veto on the whole tax program.

Scattered Fire

Ferretting Communists out of the government, or from any other places in American life they have wormed into, is a deadly serious and an overwhelmingly important job.

It is not a job for amateurs or headline hunters or feudists or demagogues. It is not a job to be done by hit-and-miss investigating or by banging away now at one suspect, now at another, without ever getting down to the roots of the conspiracy. It is not a job for every Joe or Harold in Congress.

At the moment, Congress has three committees blustering around with this problem, competing for news space and television time, bumping into each other.

That is precisely why the situation has reached its present state of ridiculous confusion. That is why such men as Senator McCarthy and Congressman Velde have made themselves, not Communism, the prevailing issues.

Some leaders in Congress now are talking of a plan to abolish all three of the present committees—the McCarthy Committee, the House Un-American Activities Committee and the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee.

The idea is to consolidate Communist investigation in a single joint Senate-House committee. Such a committee could employ the ablest and most experienced experts on Communism. It could do the job much more cheaply and much more effectively.

Such a committee probably could coax Judge Robert Morris back from his bench in New York to resume the work on which he spent many useful and productive years. For it was Judge Morris who primarily was responsible for the Internal Security Committees' painstaking reports.

Only in this way can the emphasis be switched from controversial personalities to the real objective—exposure and erasure of the Communist menace at home.

The Once Over

—by H. I. Phillips

CAMP KILMER INCIDENT

(The news story that Roy Cohn, chief counsel to the McCarthy

C. o. m. m. i. t. t. e. e. has been ordered to take his June National Guard training at Camp Kilmer, C. o. m. m. i. t. t. e. e. General Zwicker, may or may not be denied, but it makes the following imaginary camp incident easy to fancy—Ed note.)

An Aide: General, he's here, General Zwicker: Who? Aide: Roy Cohn. General Zwicker: Where did I hear that name before? Don't tell me. I want the fun of recalling it myself.

Aide: What shall I do with him, since there are no tests under real shellfire on the schedule? General Zwicker: I want Cohn treated as fairly as anybody else.

Aide: Will you put that in writing for me? General Zwicker: Yes, and I expect Cohn will want it in writing for HIM! How does he look?

Aide: He seems the sharp, self-assured and combative type.

General Zwicker: You're telling me!

Aide: He must have a little trouble with his teeth. The first thing he said was that he was looking for a dentist.

General Zwicker: Oh, no! Not again!

Aide: He arrived light, except for a trunk.

General Zwicker: Have the trunk opened and inspected? You never can tell how Joe McCarthy may get into any situation.

Aide: Suppose I open it and Joe is really inside?

General Zwicker: Bring him here at once. I have a particularly tough kitchen-poise assignment this week!

A Medical Officer (interrupting): Sorry to interrupt, but what about that matter of selecting a man on whom to try out that new canned army ration—the one about which there is so much suspicion.

General Zwicker: Mister, I'VE GOT THE MAN FOR IT!

General Zwicker: Did you have any special talk with him.

Aide: He asked me what time it was but demanded a yes or no answer.

General Zwicker: How do you size him up here? Do you think he will be a disturbing factor?

Aide: I can't tell until he meets you and you BOTH HAVE TO SALUTE!

The most fabulous yacht in the world has been turned out for Aristotle S. Onassis, a Greek who bought the Bank at Monte Carlo and also the Casino. . . . It will have a sunken swimming pool, a movie theater, a lapis lazuli smoking room and a modern business office with spiral staircases. . . . On deck will be an airplane, a speedboat and a sailing craft. . . . Mr. Onassis will have practically everything on a boat that can drive a man back to dry land screaming. . . . The yacht will cost millions, and we assume the man was on either "Strike It Rich," "Double or Nothing" or the Groucho Marx program. . . . (On the latter he may have guessed the secret word.) . . . General Motors had the biggest gross for one year in any business on earth, beating Standard Oil of New Jersey and AT&T, and proving that the three top activities of Americans are talking, watching the gas indicator and trying to beat traffic lights. . . . A boxer has been fined \$3,000 for not putting up a good fight. . . . If this is widely carried out enough money can be raised to balance the Washington budget. . . . The new movie "Satchel" may be protested as an unfair practice by the electricians who have to spell it in electric bulbs. . . . Incidentally this new movie has so many Indians in it that they may have to widen Times Square to take care of the overflow. . . . Salt Lake City officials have refused a permit to Bernard MacFadden to leap into the Great Salt Lake from a parachute on his 86th birthday. . . . This is one of the few times a group has shown Bernard its muscles. . . . Speaking of parachutes, Arthur Lapham, who died in Union City, N. J., the other day from natural causes, was a pioneer parachute leaper and the first man to leap from a plane wearing the package-type army chute. . . . That joke about the California politician and the slogan "Send him to Congress. The wife you save may be your own" is the fastest traveling gag of the year.

Lake Victoria, in East Africa, is almost 4,000 feet above sea level and is the source of the Nile river.

Night blindness is caused by a deficiency of vitamin A in the diet.

Young coyotes are taught to sleep with their heads pointing toward their den.

THE PAYOFF



Robert S. Allen Reports

Red China Still Holds 101 American Prisoners

Washington — Red China is still holding at least 101 American prisoners of war in direct violation of the Korean truce.

The number may be as high as 610.

But from various sources, including some inside China itself, military authorities are positive that not less than 101 Americans are still languishing in Communist prison camps.

Under the armistice agreement, all POW are required to be released. The U. S. has meticulously done that, even going so far as to repatriate enemy prisoners charged with war crimes, including the slaying of captured U. S. troops. But the Reds, despite the explicit terms of the cease-fire pact, have refused to liberate American servicemen known to be in their hands.

Of the 101 carried on Pentagon rolls as "current captured," 93 are Army men, 7 Marines and one, an Air Force officer. The latter is a particularly infamous case.

He is Lieutenant Harold Fischer, Iowa jet ace, who destroyed 10 MIGs before being shot down over North Korea last April. Fellow pilots saw him seized after he bailed out, and returned POW reported talking to Fischer in several camps.

But the Reds have never acknowledged anything about him. Soon after his capture, an article appeared in Chinese papers stating Fischer was being held as a "diplomatic prisoner" because he had been shot down over Manchuria, which is absolutely false. His plane was crippled south of the Yalu River and he bailed out there.

Authorities fear the young ace has been subjected to prolonged torture and "brain washing," and that the Communists may try to use him for propaganda purposes—possibly just before or during the conference in Geneva next month with Russia and Red China.

The Air Force has strongly urged the State Department to exert itself through diplomatic channels to liberate Fischer.

Secretary of State Dulles has been asked to raise the issue of the unrepatriated POW directly with the Communist delegates at the Geneva parley. Members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee have discussed this tragic problem with Dulles.

So far, the State Department has kept aloof from the matter. All efforts in behalf of these POW have been by U. S. military commanders through the United Nations Armistice Commission. Last month, the Commission was given the names of 610 Americans whom the Reds listed as prisoners at various times.

The Armistice Commission requested a report on these men, but the Communists claimed to know nothing about them.

General John H. H. Far Eastern commander, feels that further

activity through the Armistice Commission is futile and that the fate of these servicemen is now up to the State Department. General Maxwell Taylor, Eighth Army commander in Korea, has proposed the Reds be formally charged before the United Nations with a major violation of the truce agreement.

Note: The Pentagon lists as "current missing" in the Korean war a total of 2,953, of which 2,409 are Army personnel, 349 Air Force, 121 Marine Corps, and 74 Navy. This number is being steadily reduced as information permits the positive identification of the dead. In Japan, 1,300 "unknown soldiers" of the Korean conflict are still awaiting identification.

Foreign Flashes — Dr. Alberto Lleras is quitting as Director General of the Pan-American Union to return to Colombia to become a presidential candidate. Leading aspirants for the \$25,000 tax-free Pan-American job are Dr. Ricardo Alfaro, Panama's Ambassador to the UN, and Rafael Oreamuno, former Costa Rican Ambassador for many years in Washington. . . . A Spanish princeling is planning to tour the U. S. this summer. He is the 16-year-old Prince of the Asturias, son of the pretender to the Spanish throne and grandson of the late King Alfonso. . . . The Churchill government has made quiet overtures for U. S. approval of a drastically revised embargo list that would permit the British, and other European countries, to sell a lot more goods to Iron Curtain countries. The new British list eliminates many industrial items which now cannot be shipped to Russia and its satellites. . . . Strife-rent Iran wants another \$25,000,000 emergency loan from the U. S. The unwary Iranian government has used up the \$3,000,000 it got from this country when Premier Mossadegh was ousted and claims additional funds are urgently needed to prevent another explosion in Iran.

Italy — Sgt. Arthur R. Nevill announces safe arrival in Italy.

20 Years Ago — The Wyckoff Fashion Show last evening drew a big crowd to see spring and summer fashions. Models for the gowns were Miss Helen Kunkle, Miss Kathryn Shultz, Mrs. Nellie Biot, Mrs. Margaret Pysker, Miss Beatrice Gorgy, Miss Nellie von Brock and Mrs. Granville Shiff. Model for the men was Howard Altomere.

Bashill — The Consistory of the Dutch Ref. Church sponsored a church night program. Rev. Roughgarden led devotionals and these men arranged the program and luncheon: George Bennett, Ralph Turn, Dr. Robert Irwin and R. Bensley.

Birthdays — A birthday dinner was served recently at the home of Mrs. Amanda Gearhart, Gilbert, in honor of her birthday. Also a group of friends gathered to honor Eleanor and Doris Brown, twin daughters of Mrs. Ella Brown, on their birthday.

Josh Billings was an American humorist often quoted in the 1860s. He was a particular favorite of Abraham Lincoln. Some of his best quips have been collected in book form by Donald Day. Samples: "It ain't so much ignorance that ails mankind as it is knowing so much that ain't so!" "Don't do for others what you wouldn't think of asking them to do for you!" "Originality in writing or story-telling is as difficult as getting a hysopole by the side of a brook; all the good poles have been cut long ago."

A mountaineer's wife was reputed to make most plentiful moonshine whiskey, and her husband was mighty proud of her. "Yes, siree," he would boom, "my Sarah's a card! With all her faults, I love her still."

Try and Stop Me — by Bennet Cerf

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George Sokolsky Says...

Government Of A Free Country Is Never A Responsible Agency For Private Morals

The object of punishing criminals is to reduce crime, to make

crime unpunishable and not worth while. Crime is on the increase in the United States, but what is frightening is that the increase is among our youth. J. Edgar Hoover of the FBI reports:

"... Nearly one-half of the persons arrested for crimes against property involved people who were under 21 years of age."

This figure is too high for the nation's good. It is an index to the debasement of private morals, to a loss of parental respect and influence, and to a failure of church and school. The government of a free country is never a responsible agency for private morals. Every effort of government to legislate private morals ends in failure because the people resent it and resist it. When schools are largely government-financed and controlled, they are regarded as an institution apart and are often governed by separate boards chosen directly by the citizens.

It is in the home, the church and the school that the morals of the young are nurtured or abandoned. In the United States, with its unusual incidence of broken homes and with the large number of mothers working for a living, the home, under such circumstances, does not present a satisfactory

environment for the child. Divorce is particularly tough on children, when the separated parents, especially if they remarry, compete in bribing the child for its affection. The child can become so psychotic, under such circumstances, as to be a problem.

In large cities in which parents are often unrelated to the child's life for many hours of the day, the child loses respect for the parent because direct influences practically cease to exist during the important formative years. While teachers are important, they never can take the place of the parent, no matter how diligent the teacher may be. Mother-love is a quality all its own and no substitute for that quality can be generated by objective sociology.

The teacher these days is only too often a harried person, underpaid, bogged down by administrative work, disturbed by the lack of discipline and respect on the part of many pupils, particularly such older ones as hate the schools, only attending because the law requires them to. The teacher used to be a highly respected member of the community, and is today in smaller towns. In a big city, the teacher is lost in the population, a worker among workers, a subway rider hidden in the mob. The compensation for teaching is only a living and what satisfaction may come from producing a good student occasionally. Many of them leave a chosen vocation because it is so ungratifying.

When one speaks of the church

in this free country, the term implies a large number of sects holding differing views of the nature of God and man and even of morals. While church attendance in general is on the increase, it is difficult to determine whether the influence of religious teaching upon the formation of character is as great today as it was half a century ago. For instance, Sunday schools devote themselves, in the younger years, to activities rather than to precepts, to making and doing things rather than to absorbing the moral teachings of the great religions. I like, as I travel about the country, to talk to young people about the Bible and I must say that I discover an appalling ignorance of the moral character of that document. What is the foundation of our particular civilization, if it is not in the Bible?

J. Edgar Hoover, in his testimony to the House Subcommittee on Appropriations, adds this to the problem:

"There is one factor which may be the cause of the increase of crime, in my estimation. That is the abuse of parole, probation, and other forms of clemency which, to my mind, almost makes justice a mockery. I am strongly in favor of proper parole and probation and any form of clemency that tends to rehabilitate men, but I am vigorously opposed to the type of clemency which turns confirmed criminals loose upon society. I feel very strongly about that."

And well he might, for the confirmed criminal not only commits crimes but he breeds criminals.

Looking At Life — by Erich Brandeis

In Hollywood, Florida (not to be confused with Hollywood, California), which is next to Fort Lauderdale where we spent a few days before returning back North, the Recreation Department is conducting a course in creative writing.

The course is next in popularity to the one on pandanus weaving, and 41 adults, all armed with pads and pencils, are taking it. Every one of the students is anxious to write "the great American novel" or at least some best seller that will make him or her rich and enable them to buy a winter home in Florida.

"I am a retired school teacher," said one of the pupils, "and writing seems such an easy way to make a living. I have just taken the first lesson and our teacher gave us a few rules. All we have to do is follow these rules, he said, and, bingo, we are writers with the royalties pouring in."

She gave me a few of the rules and, since you, too, unquestionably want to become rich by doing nothing, such as successful writers are supposed to do, I shall pass them on to you.

Then you simply sit down at your typewriter, write that "best seller" — and collect your royalties, which any bank will be glad to handle for you.

The teacher said that the most important "gimmick" in writing is SUSPENSE.

But don't let that crude suspense, like having the heroine dangle by her hands from a cliff while an Indian is about to step on them and send her to an early death.

That sort of thing is done only by amateurs or television writers. A much more subtle approach has to be found, as, for instance, where to sleep when you arrive in any Florida resort without advance reservations or how to pay for your trip when you see what they have done to the prices down here as soon as the tourists started to arrive. That is REAL suspense.

The whole thing is very simple, the teacher said.

Present the reader with a problem. Write down the problem before you begin your story — in

CUTIES

— by William Ritt

A buck's worth of uranium in terms of energy, declares a scientific article, is worth \$3,000 worth of coal. No wonder the confounded stuff is so terrifically scarce!

Uranium, incidentally, proves again the truth of the old saw that "precious things are done up in small packages."

Red China and North Korea accept Russia's invitation to the Geneva conference. Why didn't they just give Moscow their proxies?

These are the days, down in Florida, when many a raw-necked rookie is hitting the ball almost as far as he will be from the scene of big league activity, come opening day.

Among other items, burglars looted a Pennsylvania store of an adding machine. To total up the value of their loot, no doubt.

Writer suggests dropping January and February from calendar. He must think March and April blizzards would be easier to take.

Playhouse Players On B'Way

By Leonard Randolph

This past season on Broadway has been a good one for a couple of players who appeared in supporting roles a few months back at the Pocono Playhouse.

Local persons who attend the summer theater know by now that Jean Stapleton is one of the most competent character actresses in the business. Last year Miss Stapleton gave notable performances in several Pocono productions—usually playing the part of a homey housewife ("Second Fiddle") or a frantic housemaid ("Edwina Black").

She has been a favorite with local audiences and, to my way of thinking, earned every bit of praise she got. But, up to this season, she had never had a role in a Broadway play. Then, early in the year, she won a part in the off-Broadway production of Victor Wolfson's "American Gothic" at Circle-in-the-Square.

No sooner had she landed this role than she won an important role in the Oliver Smith production of "In the Summer House" with Judith Anderson and Mildred Dunnock. Miss Stapleton left the cast of "Gothic" to vent into rehearsals for "Summer House." When the play opened at "The Playhouse" in New York, the critics were unanimous in their praise for the acting.

Several of the reviews devoted strong words of praise to Miss Stapleton's performance. The strongest came from The New Yorker's sophisticated, satirical, hard-to-please Wolcott Gibbs. The play was less successful with the critics, most of whom thought it was uneven. But it enjoyed a moderately successful run, in terms of performances, lost money for its producers.

Another performer who crashed through the Broadway wall this year was Ben Gazzara. Two years ago Gazzara accomplished the impossible by making himself seem brilliant in competition with two such veterans as Claude Rains and Carmen Matthews in Robert Nathan's ill-fated fantasy-comedy "Jezebel's Husband."

This past season, Gazzara achieved stardom in Calder Willingham's adaptation of his own novel, "End as a Man." The state of the theater being as lethargic as it sometimes is these days, it was refreshing indeed to find that Broadway is still willing to recognize fresh and genuine talents such as Stapleton and Gazzara when they come along.

On Broadway — by Walter Winchell

Why I Could Never Be A Communist!

The most attractive contest in years (1st Prize a \$7000 Cadillac Eldorado Convertible) brought the Runyon Cancer Fund over \$45,000 in (dollar bills with each entry) in the first 10 days.

Everyone in Continental United States is eligible, except persons connected with the Runyon Committee, The Donnelly Corp. (handling the entries) and the ABC network.

Contestants are invited to submit a letter (no limit on number of entries) on: "Why I Could Never Be A Communist!" Under 50 words, please. . . . Shorter the better. . . . Address entries to: Winchell, Box 80, N. Y. zone 36. . . . Please enclose \$1 with each letter for the Runyon Cancer Fund. . . . The contest closes midnight May 3rd, 1954. . . . The winner of the Cadillac will be announced Sunday night May 16th by this newscaster. . . . Weekly winners will also be named in the N. Y. Mirror Mondays.

The first three winners are Mrs. Gertrude M. Prescott, R. D. 2, Madison Lake County, Ohio; Master Sgt. Irving H. Miller, U. S. Marine Corps Band, Marine Barracks, Washington, D. C.; and Charles E. Setine, 54 Hinchley Ave., Stamford, Conn. . . . All 3 will be candidates in the finals (May 16th) for the top prize, the \$7,000 Caddy.

Attractive Mrs. Prescott (58), mother of 3 married daughters, is a high school teacher. She is also a drama coach. . . . Her prize is a week's holiday in New York City (Hotel Astor) plus down front on the aisle seats (for two) at the six leading Broadway hits. Courtesy of ticket broker George Solitaire, a long-time Runyon Fund donor. . . . The two runners-up will receive attractive prizes.

Mrs. Prescott's winning entry (for the 1st week): "I could never be a Communist because Communism enslaves men's minds, distorts truth, makes a mockery of religion, justice and trial by jury, and is pledged to overthrow—by force and violence—my country's government."

The giant tortoise is the longest living animal in the world. There is a definite record of one living for 152 years and then dying accidentally, being in excellent health at the time of the accident.



"I do believe that girl in the fourth row has on a hat EXACTLY like mine!"

Monroe County To Receive \$166,000 State School Support

Approved As Semi-Annual Aid Payment

Amounts of semi-annual payments to Monroe County schools was announced yesterday through the office of John C. Litts, county superintendent.

Litts and assistant superintendent Walter H. Sebring received a bulletin yesterday afternoon from the Department of Public Instruction, Harrisburg.

The bulletin lists a total of \$166,644.97 in payments to be made to 18 county school districts. These are the second of two semi-annual payments made by State to help support local school systems.

Stroud Township leads the list in terms of actual amount due from the State. Stroud is slated to receive \$20,763.47 for support.

Close runnerup is Polk Township. Polk will get \$20,571.51 as its second semi-annual reimbursement.

Stroud received \$20,979.51 as its first semi-annual payment, made in October last year. Polk received \$20,730.55.

Other districts will receive the following amounts. The October semi-annual payment is listed in parentheses.

Barrett Township — \$8,209.64 (\$8,429.85). Chestnut Hill Township — \$14,226.46 (\$14,373.26). Coolbaugh Township — \$13,261.75 (\$14,442.14).

Delaware Water Gap borough — \$2,205.16 (\$2,229.62). Eldred Township — \$11,664.15 (\$11,713.08). Hamilton Township — \$14,064.23 (\$14,190.32).

Jackson Township — \$5,795.25 (\$5,831.94). Middle Smithfield — \$5,881.30 (\$5,930.24). Mount Pocono borough — \$1,993.12 (\$2,017.58).

Paradise Township — \$1,559.21 (\$1,613.50). Pocono Township — \$18,114.42 (\$18,322.39). Price Township — \$400 (\$400).

Ross Township — \$8,335.13 (\$8,359.60). Smithfield Township — \$11,069.46 (\$11,155.09). Tohyanna Township — \$6,405.54 (\$6,552.35). Tunkhannock Township — \$2,125.17 (\$2,137.40).

Payments will be received by the individual school districts within the next few weeks. Checks are mailed by the State Department of Public Instruction directly to the board of school directors in each district.

Family Night Devotionals Are Planned

Family night will be held at the East Stroudsburg Presbyterian Church today beginning with a covered-dish supper at 6 p.m.

A Lenten devotional service will follow at 7:45 when the pastor, Rev. Frank W. Wingerter will speak.

The full colored films, "The Last Supper" and "Gethsemane" will be shown. These films are part of the Passion Week series.

Ashton L. Burrows will accompany singing on the piano.

Red Cross Drive Workers Listed In Water Gap

Delaware Water Gap — Workers for the Red Cross drive here are reported canvassing under direction of borough chairman, Mrs. H. J. LaBar.

They are Mrs. P. A. Rockefeller, Mrs. John Jennings Jr., Mrs. Russell Shellenberger, Mrs. Harold Akers, Mrs. Robert Clarkson, Mrs. Orien Lambert, Mrs. William Glebe, Mrs. George Hauser, Mrs. Richard Carlton, Mrs. Alexander Bensinger.

Hospital Notes

Births

Son to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Van Pelt, Stroudsburg; son to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley David, Tanersville; son to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cox, Portland.

Admissions

Joseph Redding, Marshalls Creek; Richard Baker, East Stroudsburg; Thomas J. Flynn, Shawnee; Robert Berner, East Stroudsburg; Mrs. Evelyn Foley, Stroudsburg; Herman Pensyl, Anahomink; Mrs. Mary Hawk, Saylorsburg; Mrs. Shirley Snyder, Stroudsburg RD2; Richard Fish, Bushkill.

Discharges

Lois Strand, East Stroudsburg RD3; Frank Hobbs, Stroudsburg; Craig Troeller, Effort; Jack Aner, Haddonfield, N. J.; Judy Bush, East Stroudsburg; Mrs. Dorothy Williams, Buck Hill Falls; Mrs. Beverly Beck, Cresco, RD1; John Seese, Stroudsburg RD1; Harry Hunt, Bangor RD1; Mrs. Jeannette Wilson, Stroudsburg.

Dr. Marshall Metzgar will be out of town Sunday, March 21 to Sunday, March 28.—Adv.

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WORK ON LAYING 12-inch terracotta sewage pipe to connect homes in the western end of Stroudsburg borough was started this week by crews of DePue and Diehl, Tamaqua contractors. Here men are placing the connecting line near Pocono Creek, and will work westerly toward Stofflet Street. Cost for new project, \$109,401.20, is part of the \$320,000 bond issue floated by Stroudsburg Sewer Authority for expansion and rehabilitation of the treatment works, and extending lines.

(Daily Record, Photo)

Bell-And-Lights Air Raid Warning System Test Today

Monroe's bell-and-lights air raid warning system will be tested for the first time today as part of a five-county network.

The installation is the 14th such network completed in Pennsylvania, said the office of Civil Defense Director Fred W. Davis of East Stroudsburg.

The central station is in the State police barracks at Blakely, Lackawanna County.

When the alert is "dialed" there during this morning's test, signals will flash to all points in the five counties in less than five seconds after the alert is received from Harrisburg.

Tests will be repeated Thursday. The network will be put in service Monday.

The installing is done by Bell Telephone Co., which said it expects complete State coverage by bell-and-lights networks will be finished and in operation by the end of this month.

The network of which Monroe is a part also includes Lackawanna, Bradford, Susquehanna and Wyoming Counties.

The "warning points," as the signal boxes which receive the alert are called, are only planned for: General Hospital; Civil Defense office; Stroudsburg and East Stroudsburg municipal buildings; county school superintendent's office; State Teachers College; and Stroudsburg State police barracks.

Private firms, persons, shops, or businesses may "tie in" to the network by footing their own bill. Costs are the same as for the State.

Eagles Nominate Officers

Members of Stroudsburg Aerie 1106, Fraternal Order of Eagles last night nominated officers. They are:

Raymond Allegar, president; Truman Burnett, chaplain; Walter Kozot, vice president; Wade Butz, conductor; Charles Berger, inside guard; Charles Predmore, outside guard; Roddy Kitchen, treasurer; Ernest Ridgeway, trustee, three years; Granville Shiffer and George Mackey, trustee, two years.

An entertainment and buffet luncheon followed the meeting.

Foot Bone Broken During Basketball

Miss Jean McLaren, student at East Stroudsburg State Teachers College suffered a fracture of her left foot bone playing basketball Monday and received treatment in the General Hospital dispensary, East Stroudsburg.

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Community Concert Monday

The third program in the Community Concert series will be given Monday night, March 22 in State Teachers College auditorium.

The program marks the first appearance of the "Ana Maria Spanish Ballet," a dance troupe devoted to presentation of classical and traditional Spanish choreography.

Impresario Sol Hurok—America's most outstanding independent booking agent on the cultural front—is responsible for the U. S. tour of the Ana Maria company.

Curtain time for the performance is 8:30 p.m.

Mrs. Hawk's Paper Wins Press Prize

Saylorsburg — Mrs. Marguerite Hawk of Stroudsburg RD 2 has been informed the school publication of which she is co-adviser gained first prize over the weekend in the Columbia University Scholastic Press Association contest.

Mrs. Hawk, graduate of East Stroudsburg State Teachers College in 1952, is a teacher in the fourth grade at Livingston School, West Easton. She joined the staff there following college graduation.

Over the weekend Mrs. Hawk and co-adviser, Miss Geraldine Smith accompanied three student editors to the conference in New York. Their publication, Livingston Journal won first place in the elementary school magazine contest, Anthony Barrota, principal announced. Last year the school newspaper gained a similar award.

"We are trying to get the Army to lessen the severity of its conditions," said Fine.

Monday night the civil defense agency said it would be unable to move its headquarters to Indian town Gap because of "U. S. Army requirements for use of the camp in the event of mobilization."

A film photographed at the recent 40th anniversary banquet for the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith will be shown. The film is titled "Dinner with the President."

Among the "actors" in the film are President Eisenhower, Lucille Ball, Desi Arnaz, Eddie Fisher, Thelma Ritter, Jane Froman, William Warfield and Helen Hayes. Maxwell H. Cohen is president of the local B'nai B'rith lodge.

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Fire Destroys Howey Home At Bushkill

Bushkill — A fast-spreading fire gutted the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Howey here last night.

The fire truck was on the scene within minutes after the alarm went in at 9:15 p.m. but efforts to quench the fire were fruitless.

The first smoke seemed to be pouring from around the chimney at rear of the roof. The blaze spread rapidly through the upstairs portion, destroying everything in the three bedrooms.

The first volunteers on the scene dashed in to salvage what they could. They were able to carry out only some chairs and some bedclothes. No clothing or personal effects were saved.

Then the structure was too dangerous to enter.

The Howeys lived in the house with four of their five children. The family was visiting friends in the village when the fire started. They were on the spot within five minutes after the alarm was sounded.

Absence of wind reduced the danger of the fire spreading to adjoining houses. A daughter of the Howeys, Mrs. Lawrence Dickson, lives a few doors up the Creek road. Neighbors said they supposed the family would stay at the daughter's home tonight.

The Howeys are Bushkill natives. Albert Howey, about 39, works on the township roads, a neighbor said.

The blaze burned through some power lines and neighbors were experiencing electrical difficulties about 9:45 p.m.

One neighbor, William Laubner, who lives across the road from Howey, kept a garden hose running to guard against danger of sparks igniting his own dwelling.

Apply For License

Robert A. Marsh and Margaret R. Smith, both of East Stroudsburg, applied for a marriage license yesterday at the courthouse.

Fire Destroys Two Story Home Near Tannersville; \$25,000 Estimated Loss

Tannersville — The two-story home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie P. Otto near here was destroyed by fire early yesterday while the couple was vacationing. Damage estimates are reported about \$25,000.

Motorists driving along Route 611 at 8:20 a. m., spotted smoke pouring from the home, located in the southwest corner of this community overlooking the highway.

Pocono Township Volunteer Fire Company was summoned and worked feverishly nearly three hours trying to save the home, but a headstart of about three hours, according to Chief Edward Metzgar's estimate, limited any chance of salvation.

Chief Metzgar said he could not learn how the fire started, mainly because of the headway it had made.

The entire interior was gutted by flames which engulfed most of the roof over the stone-finish half of the dwelling. Half of the home was constructed of wood but the most serious damage occurred in the living room to the west.

Several smaller frame structures near the house were spared from damage.

Firemen used two 500-foot hoses connected with Pocono Creek in their attempt to save some of the structure.

Otto, a chef for Pocono Gardens Lodge, Paradise Valley and his wife are reported vacationing in Florida. Hotel officials said they phoned Daytona Beach yesterday afternoon and learned Mr. and Mrs. Otto were enroute to Fort Lauderdale. They have contacted police at the latter city, asking their cooperation in locating the couple.

Robert Gaylor Dies In South

Stoddardsville — A summer resident of here, Robert A. Gaylor, head of the music department and professor of voice and organ at Florida Southern College, Lakeland, Fla. died there last month it was learned here yesterday.

Memorial services were conducted in the college chapel for the instructor who succumbed suddenly Feb. 15 while instructing classes.

Only 92 Reinstatement Registration

Of 780 cards sent out to allow for reinstatement of voting registration, only 92 have been returned, the commissioners office said yesterday.

The cards were sent to all persons who had not voted in two years. If the cards are filled out and mailed back, the signer remains in the qualified voter list. If the card is not filled out, the elector becomes ineligible to vote. He must then go through regular registration.

Deadline for receiving the reinstatement cards in the commissioner's office at the courthouse is March 22 this Monday—said registration clerk Sarah Jape Thomas.

March 27, a Saturday, is the final day for regular registration.

So far, registration has totalled 91. No breakdown by party was available yesterday.

All registering must be done in the courthouse. Ne registrars will be sent to polling places for this registration period. Hours on the final day will be from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Portland Nets Over \$500 For March Of Dimes

Portland — Financial report of the 1954 March of Dimes conducted in this community was released last night by Mrs. Lawrence Randolph, chairman. It shows total collections of \$547.39.

Donations included \$83.60 from the school; \$141 from the Mother's March; \$134 from the card party; \$29.14 in a canister at the bank; \$159.25 other donations. Expenses were \$3. Mrs. Randolph reported.

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Don Rose To Speak At BPW Birthday

The Business and Professional Woman's Club will celebrate its 30th birthday at the dinner meeting Thursday night at the Penn-Stroud Hotel at 6:15.

Don Rose, columnist for the Philadelphia Bulletin, author, lecturer, and traveler, will be the guest speaker. His topic will be "Confessions of a Columnist." There will also be special music with Ann George and Frances Meredith as soloists and Eloise Lewis as accompanist.

Mr. Rose, a native of Somerset, England, has 12 children, of whom nine are now married, and has 32 grandchildren. He has published his daily column "Stuff and Nonsense" continuously for 25 years, has traveled widely in this country and abroad and has done considerable radio work.

Mr. Rose has taught journalism at Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism, Pennsylvania State College, The Philadelphia Junta, and the Charles Morris Price School of Advertising and Journalism in Philadelphia and has published many books.

The members, now 112 strong, may invite husbands and other guests to the meeting, to which other service clubs, including the Sororistines, have been invited.

Newcomers Club To Hear Of Civil Defense

The Newcomer Club, sponsored by Welcome Wagon, will meet Thursday night, March 18, at 8 p.m. at Wyckoff Recreation rooms when Paul Crawn, executive director of the Monroe County Civil Defense, will be the guest speaker.

Mr. Crawn will show pictures and discuss volunteer services in the civil defense set-up.

Zion Guild To Conduct Quiet Hour

The Woman's Guild of Zion Evangelical and Reformed Church will be in charge of the Lenten Quiet Hour at the church to-night. Taking part in the service will be Mrs. Jennie Hoffman, Mrs. Dorothy Beidler, Mrs. Marie Altomero, Mrs. Marguerite Hiller, Mrs. Emma Cook and Mrs. Betty Halstead.

There will be special music and Rev. Frank H. Blatt will give the Lenten message on "Jesus Betrayed."

Congregation Meets Tonight

A congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian Church of Stroudsburg has been called for tonight following the Lenten worship service to set upon the request of the pastor, Rev. Ernest T. Campbell, to be released from the ministry of the local church.

A pulpit committee will be elected by the congregation during the course of the meeting.

Just Between Us

—By Bobby Westbrook

Add It's-a-Small-World department: A friend from Patterson, visiting; Dr. Edna Rosenkrans in Sussex came with her to the DAR meeting in Stroudsburg and sat next to Mrs. Florence Calkins only to discover they were related, sort of, through their husbands' relatives.

Mrs. Russell Cramer, home from the South and reporting a pleasant but chilly winter on the same day a letter arrived from Lida Gregory saying she hadn't had a chance to wear that new bathing suit, yet.

And by the way, I wonder what Mrs. Gregory meant when she said that Dr. John was celebrating another 72nd birthday? And speaking of birthdays, the Business and Professional Woman's Club is mighty proud of that 30th birthday coming up. So long as it's the club's and not their own, that is.

It's more than a coincidence that Monroe County organizations shine at district and state meetings. We're organization-minded, that's what. The local Salvation Army had the largest delegation at the Scranton banquet; the local P. O. of A. conducted a school of instruction at the Bucks County meeting; and I'll bet you the newly organized Secretaries Association will come home from their first convention with a raft of chairmanships.

Which reminds me. Wasn't there some talk about meetings easing off during Lent? With ten meetings already on the calendar for Thursday, it doesn't look like much ease anywhere.

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Mrs. Jack Richard Ney

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Miss Waltz Is Bride Of Jack R. Ney

Miss Barbara Ann Waltz, daughter of Russell Waltz of 1170 Main St., Stroudsburg and the late Josephine Sharp Waltz, became the bride of Jack Richard Ney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Ney, 228 Poplar St., Elizabethtown, in the East Stroudsburg Methodist Church on Sunday, March 14, at 1:30 p.m.

Rev. Harold C. Eaton performed the ceremony. Bouquets of white gladioli were on the altar and white satin bows marked the ends of the pews. Ernest Michelfelder was organist and Michael Hannon was soloist. He sang "Because" and "You'll Never Walk Alone" in the pre-nuptial recital, and "The Lord's Prayer" as the couple knelt at the altar.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white tulle over satin with a bodice of shirred white satin and a lace yoke and sleeves. The skirt was full and ballerina length with a flange at the bottom. The gown had been made by the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Oscar Sharp of East Stroudsburg. Her fingertip veil fell from a halo of lace. She carried a white orchid with streamers on a Bible.

The maid of honor, Miss Lois Goodling of 424 E. High St., Elizabethtown, Pa., wore a strapless gown of blue net over tulle, sprinkled with silver, with a matching jacket and a colonial bouquet and matching headpiece.

Mrs. Hazel Fisher, of Boyertown was matron of honor and wore a strapless gown of pink lace with matching cape and headpiece and carried a colonial bouquet. Both gowns were ruffled at the bottom with net.

James Ney, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man, and the ushers were Leland Waltz, brother of the bride of 1170 Main St., Stroudsburg and Robert Gordon, of Lancaster.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sharp, 443 William St., East Stroudsburg. The wedding table had a wedding cake as its centerpiece with white candles at either end.

Wedding bells hung from the ceiling over the table. After a wedding trip to Niagara Falls and Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Ney will make their home at 214 West High St., Elizabethtown.

The bride is a graduate of Stroudsburg High School in the class of 1951, and is a recipient for Aircraft Marine Products in Elizabethtown. Mr. Ney was graduated from Elizabethtown High School in the class of 1947. He is a tool and dye-maker apprentice at Aircraft-Marine Products in Florin, Pa.

Revive That Veiling

If you are getting your last year's bonnet in shape for this year's Easter parade, don't forget to get some new veiling to restore the old. Place the limp veiling on your ironing board between two pieces of waxed paper, then steam iron to restore the stiffness. If the veil is shaped to stand away from your face, crumple pieces of tissue paper to use for dunnies into the desired shape. Then steam the veil.

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Children's Aid Board Study Clothing Budget For Year

Parents with children to clothe can share the problem of the Children's Aid Society who had 56 children under care during the past year and managed to keep them at an average cost of \$71.86.

The information was presented at the Children's Aid board meeting held yesterday noon at the Penn-Stroud Hotel by Mrs. Jean Alberts, executive secretary, who makes an annual clothing study of the children under care. She compared the amount with the 1952 average of \$78.56 for children in care for a full year.

As in smaller families, each child has his own clothing problems and there was a wide range of costs with the highest running to \$221.71 in the case of a child who came into care during the year with a wardrobe of nothing at all. Within six months under care, the child had grown four inches, which meant another wardrobe, although the outgrown clothes were passed on to another child.

The clothing budget also listed two babies whose clothes furnished from cherished layettes cost nothing at all.

In between the two extremes there were all the problems of an average multiplied by the number involved. Footwear always takes a big bite in any family budget, and Children's Aid Children needed 114 pairs during the year, at an average cost of \$6.70 a pair, which included the expensive hard-to-fit foot as well as the average school shoe. Sneakers for gym classes needed 15 pairs; there were 34 pairs of galoshes or boots.

The average cost for a boy in care for a full year was \$75.52, while for girls it ran slightly lower at \$72.58. Major items for boys were shoes, jackets, jeans, polo shirts and trousers, while for girls, they were coats, dresses, shoes, ski suits and sweaters.

As in the average family, the clothing problem was simplified in the foster homes with older children where clothes could be passed down to smaller children, Mrs. Albert pointed out.

At the board meeting, with Mrs. Jesse Flory presiding, plans were discussed for the annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society which will be a dinner meeting on Wednesday, May 12.

Mrs. Albert also reported on the activities during the month which saw 55 children in care, one former foster home returned to active service and another new home ready to accept a child. There are a number of applications of children to be accepted into care, however, so the need for more foster homes continues, she said.

Attending the luncheon and meeting were: Mrs. Howard Hartman, Mrs. Agnes Gunn, Mrs. Enos Sipproth, Ruth Sipproth, Mrs. Shirley Joyce and daughter, Mrs. Marie Weygand, Mrs. Raymond Poorstia, Mrs. Hattie Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hester, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Keiser, Barbara Keiser, Laura Harold Dennis, Mrs. C. Clyde Levergood, Mrs. Otto Christ, Mrs. Frank Zeller and Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Schober.

Installation At P.O. Of A. Thursday Night

On Thursday night, Camp 289, Patriotic Order of Americans will meet in the IOOF Lodge Hall, Main Street, Stroudsburg, at 8 p.m. The main item of business is that of installation of officers by Mrs. Ethel Rinker and her staff of installing officers. Officers are requested to wear short white dresses.

Final plans and arrangements will be made for the district meeting which will be held in the IOOF Hall, Main Street, Stroudsburg, on Thursday, April 1, at which time Camp 289 of Stroudsburg will be the hostess camp.

Following Thursday's meeting, there will be a covered dish and potluck supper in the dining room.

Visit Reading

On Saturday five of the Stroudsburg members of Camp 289, P. O. of A., motored to Reading where they attended a district meeting of Berks County. They conducted a school of instruction. Despite the inclement weather, the Stroudsburg group enjoyed their trip and the meeting. Those making the trip included Miss Flora Garis, Past State and Past National President; Mrs. Ida Strunk, Mrs.

The Record Social News

Dr. Gregory Is Honored At Florida Picnic

Tampa, Fla.—Dr. John Gregory of North Eighth St., Stroudsburg, who is wintering with his wife in Tampa, Fla., celebrated his 72nd birthday at a picnic held on Davis Causeway, on the Tampa Bay shore.

Mrs. Gregory was hostess to the group, with Arthur Stackhouse of Stroudsburg serving as toastmaster. Arch Hodges gave a prayer in observance of the World Day of Prayer. Dr. Gregory received many cards, including those from friends in Stroudsburg.

Guests at the picnic dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stackhouse, Mrs. Lou Shiffer of St. Petersburg and Stroudsburg; Mr. and Mrs. M. Howard Williams of Tampa and Stroudsburg; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Green, of St. Petersburg and Stroudsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Arch Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, Mrs. William Clark, Mrs. F. W. Beggs, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Monion and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Keck, all of Tampa; Mrs. Leonard Kunze and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dill of Zepherhill; Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Rehnelt and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moor, of Tampa, and the Gregory's house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Weezy, of Boca Raton, Fla., and Sunnybrook, Bushkill.

The tables were set by a fireplace by the sandy beach and were laden with good things to eat including one large birthday cake and three smaller decorated cakes.

Crusader Class Entertained At Kulp Home

The Crusader Class of Grace Lutheran Sunday School, East Stroudsburg, met last Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse E. Kulp, 1812 West Main Street, Stroudsburg. Maurice H. Miller, class president, presided at the business meeting. Pastor William Wunder gave the prayer before refreshments. The class is planning to issue a birthday calendar in 1955 which will be parish-wide in its scope. A bake sale is contemplated immediately after Easter. Preliminary preparations were also made for the October Fair of the parish.

John and Jesse Kulp, together with the class president, will alternate in teaching the class during the forthcoming Sundays, thus giving their teacher, Pastor Wunder, more time to keep in touch with all departments of the Church School. Rev. Wunder will teach every other Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Smith, of 1159 West Main Street, Stroudsburg, at whose home the class will hold their April meeting, will place the altar flowers at the Lenten mid-week vesper service on March 17 in memory of Mr. Smith's father, Harry H. Smith. William E. Townsend, Andrew Choy, Jesse E. Kulp and James W. Smith will serve as ushers at vesper worship on Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock at which time the guest pastor will be the Rev. Dr. Edward T. Horn Sr., pastor of the Tannersville Lutheran church.

Those present were Miss Eleanor Metropoulos, Harold Siegfried, Mrs. Norman Mosier, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Choy, Miss Olive Patchen, John Kulp, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Smith, Maurice H. Miller, Rev. William F. Wunder and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse E. Kulp.

Acme Hose Aux. Will Pack Easter Baskets

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Acme Hose Company will fill Easter baskets and turn them over to the Salvation Army for distribution at their next meeting on April 1.

Plans for the baskets were made at the March meeting, held at the firehouse in East Stroudsburg. At that time, they planned to resume the monthly benefit parties in the firehouse on the last Wednesday of each month. The next one will be held March 31.

Rhoda Wagner; Mrs. Elsie Couterman and Miss Kathryn Couterman.

Garden Club To Study Insect Pests

The Monroe County Garden Club will meet on Thursday, March 18, at 2:15 at the First Presbyterian Church in Stroudsburg. The group will study ways and means of eradicating insects and pests in the garden.

Henry Menusan, extension entomologist from Pennsylvania State University, will be the guest speaker. He will discuss the most successful methods and illustrate them with slides which he promises "will not be pretty but they will be instructive."

Members are asked to bring notebooks as well as questions. During the business meeting, definite plans will be made for the bus trip to the Philadelphia Flower Show on March 29 or 30. Members wishing to attend may make reservations with Mrs. Edward C. Knob by calling 1365-R in the morning or 279 in the afternoon.

Members are also asked to bring arrangements of forced flowering shrubs or fruit branches to the meeting.

Army's Girls; Mothers At Big Banquet

The Stroudsburg delegation of 30 girls and mothers of the local Salvation Army who attended the Mother and Daughter Banquet of the Girl Guards and Sunbeams in Scranton on Monday night represented the largest delegation at the banquet.

There were 170 there altogether, representing Stroudsburg, Scranton, Sayre, Towanda and Plymouth. The banquet was held at the Salvation Army Corps.

Following the dinner, the girls and their mothers went to the Scranton Museum where the program was held. Capt. Eunice Blackie, Girl Guard leader from New York City, spoke and the Junior League of Scranton presented a puppet show, "Jack and the Beanstalk."

Local cars were driven by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Winters, William Kile, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. William Vogler, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Van Why, Mr. and Mrs. William George, Mrs. Edward Rieckley, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reinheimer.

The troop leaders for the Guards attending included Mrs. Harry Smith, Mrs. Edward Rieckley, Miss Lulu Winters and Miss Daisy Harrison. Sunbeam leader, Miss Julia Sargent, and her assistants, Miss Romona Thek and Miss Betty Sargent, accompanied the Sunbeam Troop.

Fire Co. Aux. Supper Success

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Stroud Township Volunteer Fire Department sponsored a ham and oyster supper at the Middle Stroud firehouse on Thursday night. Mrs. Ernest Anglenyer, chairman, and her committee, reported it very successful—thanks to public support.

The plans for the supper were completed at the March 10 meeting when there was a large attendance, and all the officers were present.

Women of the Moose

The Women of the Moose will meet tonight at 8 at the Moose Hall. Members have been asked to turn in their dollars for the benefit department at this meeting. A St. Patrick's party will follow.



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Girl Scout Troop Organized In Newfoundland

Newfoundland—The formation of a Girl Scout troop in this area became a reality Monday night when 26 girls and their mothers attended a meeting in the Legion Home, Greentown, and enthusiastically endorsed the idea, which was advanced by the local unit of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Mrs. Robert March, who won Auxiliary sponsorship for the troop and in turn was appointed chairman of the organization's committee in charge, explained the Scout program and announced the names of the troop's assistant leader and the troop committee.

Now undergoing a course of instruction for leaders in Scranton, Mrs. March named Mrs. Carlyle Schmalz as her assistant. Troop committee is comprised of Mrs. A. V. Lupo, Mrs. Claude Smith, Mrs. LeRoy Bartleson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Staph.

First meeting of the new troop will be held in the Legion Home, Monday, at 4 p.m. Girls between the ages of 10 and 14 are eligible, Mrs. March said, and they will be transported from the local school to the Home on the Hettles or Hazelton buses. Parents must arrange return transportation, however. Meetings will be of a duration of an hour or an hour-and-one-quarter, she said.

Girls will become full-fledged Scouts after a seven-week training period and the satisfactory completion of standard tenderfoot tests.

Earlier this month, officials of the Legion Home association made the Home available to the Girl Scouts for their weekly meetings.

Calendar Of Events

Wednesday, March 17

St. Patrick's Day Dance, sponsored by St. Matthew's Altar and Rosary and Holy Name Societies, at Penn-Stroud, 8:30-12.

Altar Guild, St. John's Lutheran, following Lenten service.

Women of the Moose, 8 p.m.

St. Patrick's dinner, St. Ann's Church, Tolyhanna, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., followed by program.

Ladies Auxiliary, Water Gap Fire Co. Aux. at home of Mrs. Lewis Ace, 8 p.m.

Congregational meeting, Stroudsburg Presbyterian Church after Lenten Service.

VFW Auxiliary benefit party, 8 p.m.

Thursday, March 18

Past Noble Grands, Rachel Brodhead Rehearsal at home of Dorothy Heiler, Ann St., 8 p.m.

Business and Professional Woman's Club birthday dinner, Penn-Stroud, 2:15 p.m.

Monroe County Garden Club, Stroudsburg Presbyterian Church, 2:15 p.m.

Eastern Star committee meeting at home of Mrs. Cora Stoeckel, 412 Colbert St.

Elks Lodge, election officers, 8 p.m.

Phoenix Firemen's Relief Assn., 8 p.m.

Newcomers Club, Wyckoff Recreation, 8 p.m.

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Field Wins Honors For Improved Crop

Bartonsville — Robert Field, 17-year-old dairy farmer from here has been awarded second place in the Pennsylvania Crop Improvement Association contest for area three. It was announced last night.

A 1953 graduate of Pocono High School, Field majored in vocational agriculture under the tutelage of John G. Montgomery. He received the Keystone Farmer degree last year and also won first place and a gold medal in the state-wide FFA dairy project book contest.

District three, it was reported by PCIA officials, comprises ten counties. The contest was designed to point the way for better agricultural practices in Pennsylvania. It combined research, education and management for increased farm production efficiency.

High School Credit Exams Are Arranged

High school equivalent and pre-professional examinations will be given Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 15, 16 and 17 at State Teachers College, East Stroudsburg.

According to John C. Litts, Monroe County superintendent of schools and assistant superintendent Walter Sebring, applications for the tests must be mailed to Harrisburg prior to May 18.

All persons not now attending an approved secondary school and who are not graduates of an approved four-year secondary school may secure equivalent high school credit through taking the examinations.

Sell Tract In Hamilton

A property in Hamilton Township has been transferred to Mr. and Mrs. Paul O. Gross, Chalfont RD 1, Pa., according to deeds recorded yesterday at the courthouse.

Grantor was Harry Bartholomew, Hamilton Township.



PFC. DONALD R. BACH, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bach of Swiftwater is shown here in Japan with a Japanese policeman. Attached to the Army Military Police, Pfc. Bach relates this Japanese was in the Nipponese Naval Air Force during World War Two and reportedly was shot down in China and imprisoned in an American camp. He told Bach he shot down seven U. S. B-36's during the war. Pfc. Bach, US 52259941, is with the 571 Military Police Company, APO 503, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Matamoras Jointure Plan Arouses Much Opposition

Milford—Stipulations laid down by Matamoras school directors in their approval of a jointure with Milford and three other local districts have aroused opposition to the proposal in the smaller districts.

While approving the jointure with Milford, Dingman's, Delaware and Westfall Townships last Friday night, the Matamoras board added three strong "ifs."

The borough board wants the proposed secondary school built in the Matamoras limits; wants the joint board to install, equip and maintain a cafeteria in the present Matamoras school; wants voting power to be estimated at a ratio of one vote for each hundred pupils enrolled, with a two-thirds vote necessary to decide all issues.

Residents of the other four districts involved seemed yesterday to be discounting a possible jointure on the Matamoras conditions.

Delaware Valley Joint (Milford-Delaware-Dingman's) Board members have already gone on record as wanting the school placed midway between Matamoras and Milford on Route 6.

Pike County superintendent of schools Lloyd Jones yesterday noted school statements released by the Matamoras board and said "they certainly were not released by me." Jones also said a proposal to build a "million dollar school building" was "out," so far as he could see.

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Stroudsburg Typewriter, Misfits Win Gold Medal Court Tilts

Semi-Final Round Set Next Monday

Stroudsburg Typewriter and Misfits A. C. moved into the semi-final round of the Gold Medal Basketball Tournament on the Stroudsburg High school last night.

The Typewriter contingent put on a brilliant display of shooting to club Pocono Gardens, 85-74, in the opening game of the first round doubleheader, while Misfits rolled to a 96-74 nod over Bachman Oil in the nightcap.

Jack Newell, Bob Miller, Dave Nevil and Dick Little put on a brilliant shooting demonstration for the Typewriter contingent, as the blue shirted club came from a one-point deficit at halftime to win going away.

Newell led the attack with 21 points, but Miller, Nevil and Little all tallied in double figures to lend a helping hand. John Sloan, Pocono Gardens, was the game's big scorer with 28 tallies.

The Typewriter cagers made good on 23 of 34 shots from the foul line, while Pocono Gardens rang the bell on 10 of 19 attempts from the free throw stripe.

Strong Finish
Misfits broke a close game wide open with a 34-17 bulge in the final quarter of the second game, after Bachman's Oil had remained in the thick of the fight through the first three periods.

The rough and tumble contest featured Misfits in the lead most of the way, while holding the upper hand at the end of the first period, 22-18, and at halftime, 44-36.

Bachman's club threatened with a 21-19 scoring edge in the third round, but Misfits took all doubt out of the final score in the last eight minutes of play.

Misfits made good on 18 of 31 foul shots, while Bachman's Oilers connected on 18 of 32 attempts from the free-throw mark.

Dick Folmer led Misfits to victory with 27 points, while Dickerson was tops for Bachman's quintet with 18 tallies.

Monday's semi-final round will send Stroudsburg Typewriter against the Stroudsburg Poconos at 7 p.m. and the Misfits against City Cut Rate in the nightcap. The second game will begin at approximately 8:15 p.m.

Lineups follow:
Pocono Gardens (74) FG F T
Krahl, f. 11 6 13
Sloan, f. 11 6 28
Lundt, f. 4 9 19
Bjorn, c. 0 0 0
Hoffel, c. 1 1 3
Keller, f. 6 2 12
Hines, g. 2 2 0
Watson, g. 0 0 4

Totals 32 10 74
Stroudsburg Typewriter (85) FG F T
Newell, f. 11 6 13
Miller, f. 8 9 16
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Chester Stops Slaters, 63-59



BATTLE ROYAL—Dave Nevil and Don Diebler, in the striped suits of Stroudsburg Typewriter Co., are shown above battling John Sloan and two other unidentified members of Pocono Gardens Lodge, for a rebound in a Gold Medal basketball game last night. Jack Newell, also of Stroudsburg Typewriter, is shown on the extreme right. The official on the extreme left is Ray Lambert. (Daily Record Photo)

Can Wrestling Champion Lick Marciano? Yes, Says Gagne

New York (AP)—If "Rocky" Marciano and Verne Gagne met in a dark alley some night, which one do you suppose would come out the other end?

Why, Gagne, of course, says Gagne—in less than five minutes.

Gagne (pronounced Gain-yah) is the newest darling of television wrestling fans. He is called the symbol of a new trend in the groan-and-grimace industry—a trend away from gimmicks and toward oldtime science.

He wears a jewel-studded belt proclaiming him "Heavyweight Champion of the United States." He is a boyish, 27-year-old former Minnesota football player.

Even his muscles have muscles and, as a \$100,000-a-year man, his billfold has bulges he hasn't seen yet.

Certain
He is sure he could whip the heavyweight boxing champion in an old-fashioned free-for-all. And, if you want him to start tearing phone books in half, just mention that pro wrestlers are thespians, not gladiators.

"That one really gets me," said the unbeaten bone twister as he sipped morning coffee in his swank suite at the Waldorf-Astoria.

"I played four years of college football; I played with the pro Green Bay Packers. I wrestled amateur for several years and went to the 1948 Olympics. Let me tell you, I've undergone more damage in four years of pro wrestling than I did in all the years doing other things."

"Just to show the cynics, I have challenged Marciano to a mixed match, any way or any place he wants it. He hasn't accepted."

Slugging Sailor
Decisions Rubino
New York (AP)—Bob Provizzi, 155½, Corona, N. Y., sailor from the U. S. Navy, out slugged Danny Rubino, 161, Hoboken, N. J., to win an eight round decision at the St. Nicholas Arena's new talent show last night.

Scoring
Referee Mark Conn and Judge Leo Birnbaum voted in favor of Provizzi. Conn called it 5-2-1, Birnbaum's card read 4-3-1 while Judge Sid Scharin called it a draw, giving each fighter four rounds.

Coplay Meets
Mount Joy Today
Lancaster—Coplay, a member of the Lehigh-Northampton League and class "C" champion of District 11, will tangle with Mount Joy, District Three class "C" title holder here tonight.

Starting Time
The Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association playoff is slated to begin at 8 p.m.

Practice To Begin
Stroudsburg High school will begin baseball practice at 4 p.m. today, weather permitting, Coach Jerry Stulgaitis announced last night.

Hockey Scores
American League
Cleveland 8, Pittsburgh 3.

Mims Stops Baxter In Second
Washington (AP)—Holly Mims, 157½, Washington, last night scored a technical knockout over Sandy Baxter, 164½, New York City, in the second round of a scheduled 10 round bout at Turner's Arena.

Mims dropped Baxter twice in the second round for counts of eight and five before Referee Eddie LaFond stopped the bout in 1:15 seconds of the round.

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Clippers Move To Eastern Final Round

Philadelphia—Slatington High school came to the end of the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association playoff road last night, as the Chester Clippers scored a thrilling 63-59 basketball victory before a full house here at Penn Palestra.

The Lehigh Valley League and District 11 champion saw its five "iron men" wilt before a strong Chester contingent, even though the Slaters pressed a sixth man into action for the first time in the last three playoff battles.

Chester, using an advantage in height, wore down the charges of Coach Lloyd Williams after the Slatington club had vaulted into a 21-9 at the end of the opening eight minutes of play.

Slatington was never able to keep pace with the Clippers after the second round got underway, although the Slaters did maintain a 37-29 advantage at the halfway mark. Chester held a 20-16 bulge in the second stanza.

Winning Margin
Chester went on to hang up the victory with a solid 19-10 advantage in the third quarter and a 15-12 advantage during the final eight minutes of action.

East team scored 22 goals from the floor, but Chester held a 19-15 advantage from the foul line. The Clippers attempted 34 charity tosses, while the Slaters were presented with 27 free throws.

Jim Long paced the winning attack with 20 points, but received a big assist from the other six Chester players, as all broke into the scoring column. Ed Torbey and Ed Welliver led Slatington with 15 points each.

The victory gives Chester, District One champ, the honor of moving directly into the eastern final at Hershey, on Wednesday, March 24.

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McIntosh, f. 1 1 2
Nissen, f. 0 0 0
Schleicher, c. 4 4 12
Jones, g. 3 3 10
Welliver, g. 5 5 15

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Lassick, c. 4 4 12
Hassin, g. 2 2 6
Long, g. 3 3 10
H. Walker, g. 3 3 8
R. Walker, g. 2 2 6

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Officials: Prodromus, Lowell.

Tigers Claw Yankees, 5-3

St. Petersburg, Fla. (AP)—The Detroit Tigers thumped the New York Yankees, 5-3, yesterday in an exhibition baseball game marked by injury to the Tigers' young shortstop, Harvey Kuenn.

Kuenn suffered a badly bruised wrist when hit by a pitch thrown by the Yankees' Harry Bird in the fifth inning.

Breaks Tie
The game was decided in the final inning, Detroit breaking a 2-2 tie with three runs in the top half.

The Yanks came back with one, a 425-foot homer over the center field fence by Bill Skowron, rookie first baseman.

Giants Enjoy Holiday
Phoenix, Ariz. (AP)—The New York Giants, with an open date in their exhibition schedule, were given a vacation by manager Leo Durocher yesterday.

Pro Cage Results
NBA Playoff
Rochester 82, Fort Wayne 75.
Boston 50, New York 71.

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AP Rates Kentucky Top College Quintet

By Hugh Fullerton Jr.

New York (AP)—Going into the final stage of the 1954 basketball season, Kentucky's undefeated Wildcats are rated as the nation's number one college team by the sports writers and broadcasters participating in the Associated Press ranking poll. And they appeared to be heading for a final top ranking for the fourth time in six years.

Kentucky wasn't affected by the upsets that marked the big end-of-season tournaments, although a few voters counted it against the Wildcats that they refused to play in the National Collegiate Athletic Association championship. And with most of their leading rivals already knocked out of tournament competition, there appeared to be no one in sight to displace Kentucky.

Perfect Mark
After beating Louisiana State in a playoff for the Southeastern Conference title to complete a 25-0 season, Kentucky declined the NCAA tournament nomination because three post-graduate players were not eligible. LSU took the job and was knocked out of the tournament—and out of a top-10 ranking—in the first round.

As a result, Kentucky was returned to the top place in the poll for the 10th time in 14 weeks. The Wildcats were named first on 47 out of 70 ballots and received 574 points on the basis of ten for each first place vote, nine for second, etc.

Indiana, upset by Notre Dame in the NCAA tournament, held on to second place in the poll with 420 points and Holy Cross, the surprise winner of the National Invitation Tournament, moved up from ninth to third with 389 points.

Advance
Although Notre Dame was an upset victim, losing to Penn State the night after beating Indiana, the Irish moved up two notches to fourth place as the voters apparently gave more importance to the Indiana victory and a 22-3 final record than to that one loss.

Penn State, however, got plenty of credit for its two tournament successes as the rankings received a thorough shuffling. The Nittany Lions, who never had showed among the leaders all season, turned up in ninth place with a 143 point total.

Others in the first ten were five—Duquesne, the NIT runner-up; six—La Salle, one of the four teams to reach the NCAA semifinals; seven—George Washington, eight—Western Kentucky and nine—Oklahoma A. and M. The other two NCAA survivors, Southern California and Bradley, filled the 11th and 12th spots.

Tournament Scores
PIAA Playoffs
District Three Class "A" Final
Chambersburg 6, York 58
Class "A" Inter-District
Williamsport (District Four) 54, Plymouth (District Two) 51
District 5 Class "A" Final
Johnstown 61, Lewisburg 37
Class "A" Western Regional
First Round
Farrell (District Seven) 61, Berlin (District Five) 56
Meadville (District 10) 64, Kane (District Nine) 50.

Williams Gains Nod
Miami Beach, Fla. (AP)—"Doc" Williams, Newark, N. J., heavyweight, jabbed out a unanimous 10-round decision over Clint Bacon of Death Valley, Calif., last night at Miami Beach Auditorium. Williams weighed 187½, Bacon 177½.

Last Season's Prize Baseball Rookie Hurt In Exhibition Game At 'Jinxed' Lang Field

St. Petersburg, Fla. (AP)—Harvey Kuenn, the Detroit Tigers' \$55,000 bonus shortstop who was the American League's 1953 rookie of the year, suffered a badly bruised left wrist yesterday in a spring exhibition game on "jinxed" Al Lang field.

In the fifth inning of the game with the New York Yankees, the 23-year-old former Wisconsin athlete threw up his arm to ward off a pitch by Harry Byrd which was zooming toward the batter's head.

The ball cracked against Kuenn's left wrist with a dull thud.

Hospital
The young shortstop was taken to St. Anthony's Hospital where X-rays showed there was no fracture.

Dr. R. A. Thompson, physician for the Detroit Lions football club who was on hand as a spectator, made a preliminary examination and said it was a "bad bruise."

Fred Hutchinson, Detroit Manager, and Byrd exchanged hot words after the incident.

As Kuenn lay on the ground, Hutchinson criticized Byrd for throwing close to the player. Byrd shouted back: "You get a bat and get up there."

This was the fourth accident in as many days on this home field of the Yankees and St. Louis Cardinals.

Football's Television List To Be Settled At Kansas City
Kansas City (AP)—The football games you will see on television next fall may be decided here Saturday and Sunday in the midst of the climax of the National Collegiate Athletic Association basketball championships.

Matamoras, Hawley Win In Tourney
Hawley—Hawley and Matamoras assured themselves of semi-final berths in the 27th annual Hawley-Lake Wallenpaupack Basketball Tournament with respective victories over Preston and Damascus here on the Hawley High court last night.

Bill Gumble scored a field goal in the last minute of play to give Hawley a crowd pleasing 60-58 victory over Preston in the opening half of the doubleheader.

Nightcap
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The young shortstop was taken to St. Anthony's Hospital where X-rays showed there was no fracture.

Dr. R. A. Thompson, physician for the Detroit Lions football club who was on hand as a spectator, made a preliminary examination and said it was a "bad bruise."

Fred Hutchinson, Detroit Manager, and Byrd exchanged hot words after the incident.

As Kuenn lay on the ground, Hutchinson criticized Byrd for throwing close to the player. Byrd shouted back: "You get a bat and get up there."

This was the fourth accident in as many days on this home field of the Yankees and St. Louis Cardinals.

Football's Television List To Be Settled At Kansas City
Kansas City (AP)—The football games you will see on television next fall may be decided here Saturday and Sunday in the midst of the climax of the National Collegiate Athletic Association basketball championships.

Matamoras, Hawley Win In Tourney
Hawley—Hawley and Matamoras assured themselves of semi-final berths in the 27th annual Hawley-Lake Wallenpaupack Basketball Tournament with respective victories over Preston and Damascus here on the Hawley High court last night.

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Life of Riley

By JIM RILEY
Sports Editor

Opening round play in the Gold Medal Basketball Tournament currently underway at Stroudsburg High school, drew a crowd of more than 80 people on Monday night and a total of \$14 was taken in at the door. The Stroudsburg Poconos, one of the pre-tournament favorites, became even stronger with the addition of Alden "Red" Fetherman to the roster. Fetherman, former three-letter athlete at Stroudsburg High, is home on a 15-day furlough. Tournament play will range over two more nights before the area packs away basketball for the season.

Joe Chase, highly regarded East Stroudsburg football and basketball star, was unable to play with Jack's Market against the Poconos on opening night because of an ankle injury. Joe suffered two badly twisted ankles late in the Lehigh-Northampton League season just completed, but recovered in time to play the last two games of the campaign. While walking home from church on Sunday, Chase twisted the left ankle once again, doing more damage to ligaments and blood vessels. Stroudsburg cagers undoubtedly wish the likeable East Stroudsburg athlete hadn't recovered from the first injuries so rapidly.

Chase and Bill Fensyl, as everyone remembers, combined to score one field goal each in the last five seconds to down Stroudsburg in the final game of the recent campaign, 66-65. Harry Spittle, former star athlete at Belvidere High, recently signed to a contract by the Detroit Tigers, was also sought after by the Pittsburgh Pirates and New York Giants. The south paw hurler will be 21 in July and only recently completed a hitch in the Navy. Joe Whalen, sports-caster for WVPO, refereed last Saturday's wrestling match between East Stroudsburg State Poly.

One of the highlights of the ESSTC-Poly wrestling program was the fine victory turned in by Harry Hess in the 177-pound class. Harry hadn't taken part in a single match this season until last Saturday, due to a dislocated shoulder. The injury occurred in a pre-season practice schedule. The mat action now under discussion was one of the most exciting wrestling programs ever held on Normal Hill, but would have been much better if held in the new gym. The old gym just can't give an athletic event its proper color or the degree of safety necessary to those taking part in the contest.

Chet Lucki, former pitcher with the Stroudsburg Poconos and Nazareth, in the class "D" North Atlantic League and also with Pocono A. C., is back in the area once again after more than a year's absence. Chet had been living in Buffalo. Lucki is currently keeping in shape by bowling and will probably return to his first love—baseball—as soon as the weather makes a thought of the diamond sport uppermost in everyone's mind.

Bob Durkin, a native of Scranton and a student at East Stroudsburg State Teachers College, recently passed his Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association baseball umpire's examination. Bob is a fine basketball official and a great guy, and there's no reason to doubt that he'll do a good job at calling plays on the baseball diamond. Bob Garrett, former student at ESSTC, was also authorized by the PIAA to work baseball games following a recent examination. A total of 18 registered for the baseball exam in District 11. Fifteen took the test and 14 passed.

Anyone looking for an umpire in the White Haven area might contact Dave Leyfert, 763 Towanda St. Leyfert was also one of those baseball officials just approved by the PIAA. Joel Tyerman, a member of the ESSTC junior varsity basketball team during the recent campaign, played under Doug Schoonover at Fairview Township High school. Schoonover, a former resident of Stroudsburg, graduated from both Stroudsburg High and ESSTC. Tyerman is a highly regarded "set shot" artist. Leighton High actually lost money last football season, according to unofficial reports reaching this column.

The Indians reportedly took in \$3,455.70 at the gate and expenses amounted to \$4,954.36, or a loss of \$1,498.66. Joe Sweitzer has resigned as Palmerton High junior varsity basketball coach. Joe submitted his resignation to D. W. Denniston, high school principal. Dick Snyder, the man who Sweitzer succeeded two years ago, is expected to take over the Palmerton yearlings again next season. Sweitzer hopes to keep a hand in the Saturday morning basketball program at Palmerton. Joe's son, Les, is a six-foot, five-inch member of the Palmerton varsity.

Speaking of Palmerton brings to mind that the girls of that school are claiming the mythical Lehigh Valley League basketball championship, even though an actual circuit doesn't exist. The Bombettes completed the past campaign with nine wins and one setback.

Poconos Launch Playoff Grind

Nazareth Plays Host To First Game

Stroudsburg's Poconos, number two team in the final standings of the Blue Mountain Basketball League, will open its bid for the post-season playoff championship today, against Nazareth, and on the latter's home court.

The game is scheduled to get underway at 8 p.m. Nazareth finished the recently completed season in fourth place and plays only one of the possible three games at home with the Poconos. If two more games are needed to decide the issue both will be played in Stroudsburg.

Weston A. C., regular season title holder, and Hackettstown, third in the final standings, are meeting in the other half of the semi-final round playoffs.

Lineup

Coach Tom Shiffer is expected to stick with a lineup that features Harvey "Hotsey" Bergman and Henry "Hank" Stetler at the forward posts and Al Adelmann at center. The guard positions will be manned by turns by Tom Somers, Jim "Bunky" Smith and Paul "Muff" Warnick.

The Poconos will leave from in front of DeVivo's Shoe Repair Shop at 6:45 p.m. for today's game.

Second contest in the series is listed for the Stroudsburg High court next Tuesday and if a third game is necessary it will be played on the same floor the following night.

Locally Trained Fighter To Battle Johnson In Chicago

Chicago (AP)—Number one contender Harold Johnson, impatiently hunting Archie Moore's light heavyweight title, takes on a sharp-boxing newcomer to the 175-pound upper strata at the Chicago Stadium tonight.

Philadelphia Johnson, 25, is a 5-2 favorite to defeat Paul Andrews, 24, Buffalo, N. Y., who is ninth-ranked despite only 25 professional bouts of which he has won 23.

Televised

The St. Patrick's Night 10-round will be televised nationally (CBS), beginning at 10 p. m. (EST).

Andrews, one of the rising stars in the fight game, did most of his training at Harry's Farm, 12 miles above Columbia, N. J., and on the shores of the Delaware River, near Shawnee-on-Deleware, Pa.

Jonaire Dog Wins Points

White Plains, N. Y.—Jonaire Pocono High Honor, female Miniature Schnauzer bred and owned by John and Claire Specht, of Jonaire Kennels, was winners' bitch for four points and went up to best of opposite sex here Saturday.

Honor was one of the outstanding entries in the Saw Mill River Kennel Club Dog show held here annually.

Near Title

High Honor needs only three more points to finish her championship title. Jonaire Kennels are located between Mt. Pocono and Tobyhanna.

White Sox Dump Braves

Tampa, Fla. (AP)—Held to two runs in six innings by Warren Spahn, the Chicago White Sox scored three-run splurges in the seventh and eighth yesterday to defeat the Milwaukee Braves 8-3.

Runs

Charley Gorin, Spahn's replacement, walked home two Sox runs in the seventh and Minnie Minoso stole home for the other.

In the eighth, Nellie Fox slammed a three-run homer off Glenn Thompson.

Pro Grid Guard Quits Browns

Cleveland (AP)—Bill Willis, a star for the Cleveland Browns since the club was formed in 1946, quit professional football yesterday to become first assistant city recreation director.

Long Association

Willis, who will be 33 next October 5, was a tackle on Coach Paul Brown's 1942 Ohio State University championship team. He will receive \$6,570 a year in the city job. He previously had worked part time in Cleveland's recreation department and has a master of arts degree in physical education.

Redlegs Slug Phillies, 8-4

Clearwater, Fla. (AP)—The Cincinnati Redlegs outslugged the Philadelphia Phillies to grab an 8-4 exhibition game win before 500 shivering fans yesterday.

Homers

Three Cincinnati home runs paved the way for the Redlegs' victory.

Phillies Peddle Waitkus To Orioles In Straight Cash Deal

Clearwater, Fla. (AP)—The Philadelphia Phillies, though hurting for hitting strength and reserves, yesterday disposed of first baseman Eddie Waitkus for cash. The 33-year-old Waitkus went to the American League's Baltimore Orioles.

Bob Carpenter, Phillies' president-owner, closed the deal at the National League's training base with General Manager Art Ehlers of the Orioles. The announcement said Waitkus was sold for more than the \$10,000 waiver figure—believed to be about \$40,000.

Surprise

While it has been obvious for some time that the Phillies would drop either Waitkus or Earl Torgeson, the club's other first baseman, the fact that no trade was involved came as a surprise. Most baseball men believe that Carpenter wanted to trade one of his first sackers for much needed infield strength of a long ball hitter or note.

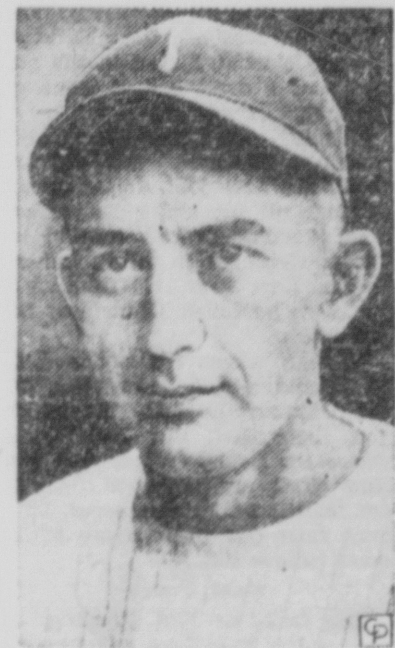
Ehlers expressed the usual front office delight at obtaining a new player. "We are aware of his defensive ability and we know he is a consistent hitter if not a long distance hitter," was the way he put it.

Waitkus really was tickled pink over the deal. He said: "I hate to leave the Phillies but this presents such a better opportunity. I just can't go on sitting on the bench. It upset me so badly last year that I jumped the team. Down here the whole picture has been disheartening. At least I know I'll be able to play with the Orioles."

Waitkus came to the Phillies in the winter of 1948-49 in a trade with the Chicago Cubs that sent pitchers Emil "Dutch" Leonard and Walt Dubiel to the Cubs.

Averages

Last year, Torgeson and Waitkus divided the first base duties, with



Eddie Waitkus

Waitkus hitting 291 in 81 games and Torgy 275 in 111 games. Torgeson hit 11 home runs and drove home 64 while Waitkus had one homer and 16 RBIs.

The Orioles learned that Dick Kryhoski's left wrist was broken just as news came in of the purchase of Waitkus.

Both are first basemen and bat left-handed.

The fracture which Kryhoski received by a pitched ball in Monday's exhibition game against the New York Giants in Phoenix was discovered by X-rays taken yesterday.

Rookie Agrees To Terms

Vero Beach, Fla. (AP)—Jim Baxes, rookie third baseman from Fort Worth, finally agreed to terms with the Brooklyn Dodgers and is flying to camp from his California home, vice president Fresno Thompson announced yesterday.

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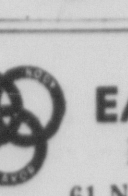
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Monroe County League Lists Baseball Slate

A schedule of five baseball games was released by the Monroe County League yesterday, with all six schools listed to take part in the pennant race.

The five game schedule will run over a period of slightly more than two weeks, with each club playing each opponent only one time.

Regular Season

This schedule doesn't include any pre-season or post-campaign contests listed by the various individual schools.

Action will take place on Tuesday and Friday, except when games are postponed by inclement weather and made up at a later date.

The 1954 schedule was drawn up by Art Smith, baseball and basketball coach at Polk High school.

Schedule follows:

April 26
Chesham at Tobyhanna Township
Barrett at Polk
May 4
Pocono at Barrett
Coughlin at Chesham
Polk at Tobyhanna Township
May 7
Tobyhanna Township at Barrett
Coughlin at Polk
May 11
Coughlin at Barrett
Chesham at Polk
Tobyhanna Township at Pocono
May 14
Barrett at Chesham
Tobyhanna Township at Coughlin
Polk at Pocono

Two Matches Slated

Two matches are slated for the Worthington Mower League today on the George N. Kemp American Legion Post alleys, at 7 p. m. Schedule follows:

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Alleys three and four—Bears vs. Rams.

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Pirates Clip Red Sox, 2-1

Fort Pierce, Fla. (AP)—The Boston Red Sox, after winning five straight games to open the Grapefruit League season, yesterday fell to their fifth straight loss in bowing to the Pittsburgh Pirates 2 to 1.

Both Pirate runs were scored against 21-year-old rookie Truman Clevering in his five innings on the mound. One was unearned and the other a home run over the 324 foot right field fence by Hal Rice.

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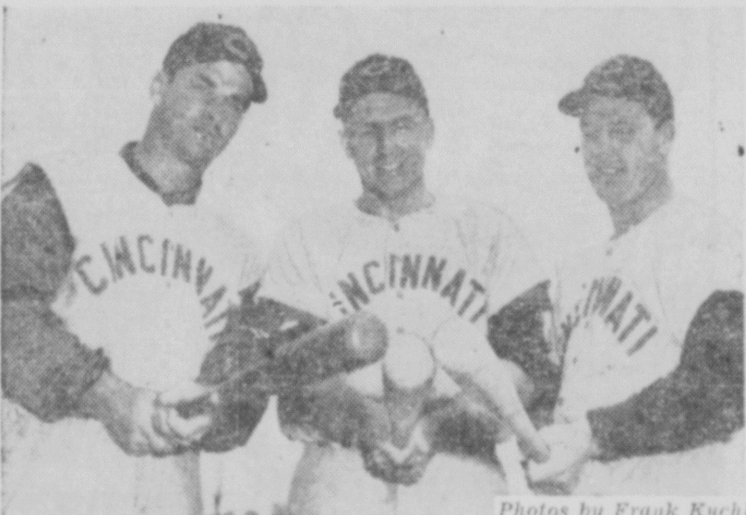
In the fourth, Gail Henley reached second base when Dick Gernert dropped his pop fly for a two base error. He moved around to score on a pair of infield outs.



Pitcher Fred Baczewski



Sports Editor Walter L. Johns interviews Manager Birdie Tebbetts.



Redleg sluggers, from left: Ted Kluszewski, Jim Greengrass, Gus Bell.



Infielder Roy McMillan

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Tebbetts Has High Hopes For Redlegs

Editor's Note: This is the first of a series of major league articles that will appear from time to time before the opening of the regular season pennant race.

By Jack Hand

Tampa, Fla. (AP)—"All I know about the rest of the National League is what I read in the papers and I don't believe some of the things I read."

"Birdie" Tebbetts, Cincinnati's freshman manager, was talking about his new job. An American League all his major league career, "Birdie" expects to find no vital differences in the "other" league. Last year, his first as a manager, he finished fourth at Indianapolis.

"I read where it's supposed to be Brooklyn and Milwaukee for the pennant," he said. "Maybe I'll give them that. But I also read where St. Louis, Philadelphia and New York are going to fight it out for the next three places. That may turn out to be true, but I don't believe it."

Solid Punch

The Reds, or Red Stockings as they prefer to be known, have solid batting punch, fair defenses and good lefthanded pitching. They lack righthanded pitching and need more speed.

Tebbetts' chief job during spring training is to find some righthanders to match his southpaw starters. Harry Perkowski (12-11), Fred Baczewski (11-4), Joe Nuxhall (9-11) and Jackie Collum (7-11).

Rudy Minarcin, just back from the Army, is the brightest new face. The 23-year-old righthander won 16 for Buffalo in 1951, his last season. He has been effective in the early games.

Herm Wehmeier is trying to bounce back, after a 1-6 season, on the strength of some effective work in Puerto Rico during the winter. Saul Rogovin, who led the American League in earned run average at Chicago in 1951, could be a key man if he can shake off the arm trouble that brought him a dismal 7-12 record last year. Rogovin came to Cincinnati in the Willard Marshall deal with "Rocky" Krsinic and Connie Ryan. "Bud" Podbielan (6-16) is back and so is Frank Smith (8-1) the fine reliever.

Sluggers

Ted Kluszewski, Mr. Big on the club, is back at first base again with his .316 average, 40 homers and 108 runs batted in. Johnny Temple, a slick fielder who hit .264 in 63 games last season, is the likely second baseman although veteran Grady Hatton is giving him a fight. Roy McMillan, of course, is the shortstop, one of the best in the league despite a .233 average.

Bobby Adams (.275) will play third unless "Chuck" Harmon, a 27-year-old Negro who batted .311 at Tulsa, makes the club. If Harmon continues his fine early work, he might force Adams to move to second.

Two-thirds of the outfield is set with Jim Greengrass (.285 average, 20 homers and 100 runs batted in) in left and Gus Bell (.300 average, 20 homers and 105 RBIs) in center. Wally Post (.289 average, 33 homers and 120 RBIs at Indianapolis) probably will open in right.

Andy Seminick (.235) will be the number one catcher with help from Hobie Landrith (.240).



Wally Post

Orioles Decision Indians, 9-8

Yuma, Ariz. (AP) Slim Bonny Young's eighth-inning two-run homer provided the margin of victory yesterday as the Baltimore Orioles outslug the Cleveland Indians, 9-8, in an exhibition game.

Ninth Win

Dale Mitchell matched this in the ninth, but Dan Larsen hung on to preserve the victory for starter Howie Fox as the Orioles won their ninth pre-season game in 11 outings.

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Lutheran	721	747	724	2192
Methodist	881	766	828	2415
Individual high, single—B. Friedman	829			
Individual high, match—J. Harmon	829			
Team high, single—Temple Israel	861			
Team high, match—Presbyterian	2550			
Standings	W.	L.		
Holy Name	29	15		
Presbyterian	29	15		
St. Matthew's	25	19		
Methodist	22	22		
Temple Israel	15	29		
Lutheran	6	28		

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Belo, Inc.	836	765	813	2438
Engine Works	822	868	815	2513
Shoemaker's Signs	812	720	828	2440
St. Luke's	124	819	704	2228
E. S. Hardware	825	731	880	2446
Raylor's Easo	880	789	732	2211
National Drug	785	789	820	2283
Black's T. Y.	118	787	788	2224
Individual high, single—Kosowatz	825			
Individual high, match—Butts and Yule	2250			
Team high, single—E. S. Hardware	880			
Team high, match—Engine Works	2513			
Standings	W.	L.		
Engine Works	34	10		
E. S. Hardware	33	11		
St. Luke's	28	16		
Shoemaker's Signs	25	19		
St. Y. Y.	19	24		
National Drug	14	32		
Raylor's Easo	11	32		

Legion League

Sad Sacks	834	783	807	2424
28th Division	770	695	756	2221
Air Corps	701	822	812	2507
Marines	809	796	789	2269
Commandos	297	703	701	2111
J. P.'s	827	743	796	2465
Kokers	764	695	733	2192
Navy	710	730	820	2496
Individual high, single—Holtz (4925)				
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Standings	W.	L.		
Sad Sacks	33	11		
Air Corps	29	15		
Marines	28	16		
28th Division	30	18		
Navy	18	26		
Kokers	17	25		
Commandos	14	26		
J. P.'s	10	24		

Commercial 'B' Ready

Commercial "B" League keggers collide at Harmon's Recreation today, at 7 p. m. Schedule follows:

Alleys one and two—Line Material vs Eagles.

Alleys three and four—Ray Arnold vs E. S. Hardware.

Alleys five and six—Stroudsburg Auto Body vs Karen Home Improvements.

Your Horoscope Today

By FRANCIS DRAKE

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 1954

March 21 to April 20 (Aries) — It might be well to slow down now in order to review plans, get a broader perspective. Stars indicate little, maybe no assistance, but do consider new propositions unless fully assured.

April 21 to May 20 (Taurus) — This could be costly day for you ambitions, and sometimes impulsive folk. Your code should be first, then move — but cautiously! Some pressure now.

May 21 to June 21 (Gemini) — Exercise calm intelligence and judgment, especially in money and important business matters. Choose companions wisely, considering their habits, principles, etc. It could mean much later on.

June 22 to July 23 (Cancer) — Some prospects at rather low level. This does not mean your chances are all. It just means more and harder work, thinking, planning, and action. Learn something from all suggestions.

July 24 to August 23 (Leo) — Leo never have accomplished a great deal despite adversity and lack of appreciation. Remember this. Recall only the best in the past work confidently toward the future. You can achieve.

August 24 to September 23 (Virgo) — The day is money and important. Will give you a chance to think over quietly, take stock. Have you discarded outmoded methods? Are you planning ahead?

September 24 to October 23 (Libra) — Whether or not you go? Maybe need to change your course or make some revisions in viewpoint. All problems or hazards can be bridged, especially with your pluck and ingenuity.

October 24 to November 23 (Scorpio) — Stick to facts, not fancies today.

Some unfriendly influences moving in — most likely around noon. Be keen, observing. Better to seek advice, saying "I don't know," than have to say, "I'm sorry."

November 24 to December 23 (Sagittarius) — It's not only what we think that brings results. It is what we do — and how intelligently. Reconsider can be your worst enemy for it destroys judgment. Don't indulge moods; avoid fatigue.

December 24 to January 21 (Capricorn) — This is not an auspicious day for any of us, so pool good ideas and resources rather than fight problems individually. Create good will; be charitable.

January 22 to February 20 (Aquarius) — Advice to Capricorn also pertains to you now. Be consistent; think well before you act. Have no foolish illusions, but don't lose initiative or self-confidence.

February 21 to March 20 (Pisces) — The knack of knowing how to maintain a happy medium in both action and thought will determine your progress today. Don't be too exacting with others — especially those who must "take it."

YOU BORN TODAY are of the idealistic type with a great appreciation of resources and philosophical knowledge. You should be fond of travel, research and history, may devote much time to finding out the why and wherefore of things past and to come. Though your nature is usually sympathetic, you can be indifferent at times. You generally like to do things in your own way, but you do reason well. You are usually honest and honorable, can be appealed to through kindness and tact; are adapted to skilled and detailed work. Curb obstinance, worry.

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LEGAL NOTICES

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Estate of Elmer Shoemaker, late of the Borough of East Stroudsburg, County of Monroe, a particular statement of claim, owed.

Letters testamentary in the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims are directed to present the same, without delay, to the undersigned or to his attorney within six months from the date hereof, and to file with the Clerk of the Orphans Court of Monroe County a particular statement of claim, duly verified by affidavit, setting forth an address within the county where notice may be given to claimant.

GROVER H. SHOEMAKER, Executor.

720 South Street,
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NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 2 of the Act of June 25, 1947, P. L. 1145, as amended by the Act of May 9, 1949, P. L. 508, of the School District of Pocono Township, Monroe County, Pa., intends to adopt a resolution levying a \$10 per capita tax for school purposes, at a meeting to be held on 4/7/54 at 7:30 P. M.

The reason which is the judgment of the Board of Directors necessitates the tax is that the present revenue of the District is insufficient to pay salary in excess of the teaching staff and to pay the cost of the capital outlay for equipment, repairs to buildings and furniture.

The amount of revenue estimated to be derived from this tax is the sum of \$80,000.

By order of the Board of Directors
Pocono Township School District,
EDWARD T. HORN, Jr., President
FLAYD HAY, Secretary.

Announcements

DEATHS

HARRIS, Mrs. Mabel Estelle of Stroudsburg, March 15, 1954. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Thursday, March 18 at 2 p.m. from the Clark funeral home, Interment in the Stroudsburg Cemetery. Viewing 7 p.m. Wednesday at funeral home.

CLARK

LIST, Garfield of Greentown, March 15, aged 72. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Wed., March 17 at 7:30 p.m. from the Frey (South Sterling) funeral home, Interment in the West Laurel Hill, Philadelphia cemetery.

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Neighborhood Studies Key Future School Building Population, Report Shows

By Clarke Beach
AP Education Writer

Washington (AP)—A neighborhood might have twice as many children at one period in its growth as it will in a later period, a Columbia University study shows.

If the houses are new and low-priced, expect lots of babies. And in a few years look for kindergarten and first-grade tots to crowd into the schools, says the report.

If the houses are new and high-priced, expect a bulge in high school enrollments and relatively fewer children in elementary grades.

Many a school administrator has overestimated or underestimated future school building needs because he didn't understand how the child population differs among neighborhoods.

The new low-cost suburb is inhabited chiefly by young married couples; and the great majority of children are born to women between 18 and 32 years of age.

The new high-cost suburb is typically a neighborhood of older persons, with the breadwinner at the peak of his earning power. The family has older children and few babies.

A typical neighborhood passed through a cycle in 60 years, says the report, in which there are radical changes in the child population.

"In the first 15 years of new housing exceptionally high birth rates are to be expected, because from 75 to 85 per cent of all new single-family dwelling units are initially occupied by couples who are in the first five years of married life," says the Columbia report.

In the second 15 years, the families in the houses are older. They have few babies but many children of high school age.

In the third 15 years, according to the report, "the older inhabitants tend to move out and are replaced by the families of lower cultural status."

"This decline in cultural status seems to precede a decline in economic status. The new families tend to be younger and the number of children increases again."

The neighborhood from 45 to 60 years old, says the report, is likely to be blighted. As it becomes a slum area, the child population rises sharply.

Athletics Stressed In March

March is "Athletic Month" for the younger boys of the YMCA's Gra-Y club program. During their weekly meetings eight various physical skills will be practiced and a final test will be given during the last week of the month.

Those boys accomplishing all eight events will be awarded honor emblems. The clubs participating are the Blackhawk, Eagle, Panther and Skull Gra-Ys. About 80 boys are involved in the Gra-Y program in Stroudsburg and Barrett Township.

Last month the theme was "A Helping Hand for the Youth of the World" and the boys conducted a successful candy sale with the profits going to the World's Services Program of the YMCA. This program aids YMCAs in foreign countries.

The club with the best selling record was the Blackhawk Gra-Y, which meets at the Ramsey School.

Elks Club To Elect Officers

East Stroudsburg lodge of Elks will meet in regular session Thursday night at 8 with A. A. Laufer, exalted ruler in charge.

Highlight of the meeting will be the election of officers. Other important business is also on the agenda, Laufer says. There will be entertainment following the meeting.

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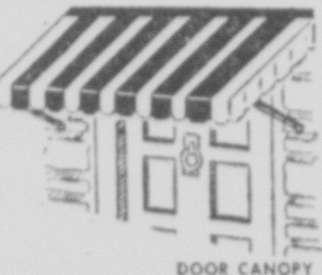
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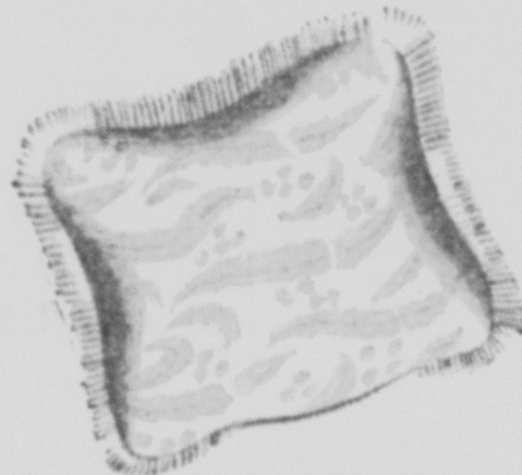
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